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DESCENDANTS

OF

BARNABAS DAVIS,

SON OF JAMES

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Dedicated to
my father

SUMNER DANFORTH DAVIS, M.D.

Than whom few finer men
ever lived

Recd Sept 28-1978

DESCENDANTS

of

BARNABAS DAVIS,

SON OF JAMES

Who Settled in Charlestown, Mass.,

1635

By

Sumner Augustus Davis

"It is a reverend thing to see an ancient castle or building not in decay, or to see a fair timber tree sound and perfect; how much more to behold an ancient noble Family which hath stood against the waves and weathers of time?" - Bacon.

1849

Birmingham, Alabama

DESCENDANTS
of
BARNABAS DAVIS,
SON OF JAMES

THE FAMILY NAME DAVIS (from David - "well-be-loved"), is found in many variations: Davie, Davies, Davidson, Dawes, Dawson, Dawkes, Dawkins, Dawkinson, Dayes, Dayson, Dakin - and though of ancient standing in Wales, only scarcely appears in England before the Conquest.

Of all of these families, so far as we are aware, no record has yet been compiled to show our branches of the many Davis families. We say many Davis families, for though the early records are quite clear as to BARNABAS DAVIS, SON OF JAMES, and we know he was one of the first settlers in New England, we learn also that there were other Davis families represented in the early American pioneers, with the ties between many of them unknown. Thus, the problem of tracing one particular Davis family in America becomes very complex, indeed in some cases, impossible of solution, for at about the same time that BARNABAS DAVIS came to America there were at least four other early Davis family settlers:

James Davis; b. about 1584; to New England about 1634; Hampton, 1638; Haverhill, 1646.

Dolar Davis; b. 1590; from England, 1634; Cambridge, Mass.

Nathaniel Davis; came in the "Hercules," 1634.

William Davis; b. 1617; from Wales, 1635.

If separating the offspring from these early settlers does not offer perplexity enough, consider the conglomeration of Davises confused by the following arrivals before 1700:

John Davis; Barnstable, Mass; brought goods in his boat, 1637.

Robert Davis; b. 1608; from England, 1638.

George Davis; Salem, 1641; brother was one of the overseers of Lynn.

William Davis; gunsmith; sold land in Boston, 1646.

John Davis; Newbury, Mass.; m. in New England, 1647.

John Davis; b. England, 1634; on Haverhill-Salisbury boundary committee, 1650.

Thomas Davis (the elder); from Wales; settled in Maryland after 1600.

John Davis; b. England 1612; four children came with him; d. Long Island, 1705.

Samuel Davis; b. Ireland, 1669; d. Pennsylvania, 1758.

Benjamin Davis; from Scotland prior to 1700.

James Davis and John Davis; from England about 1700; settled in Virginia.

Nevertheless, we have endeavored as best we could to follow the various lines of DESCENDANTS OF BARNABAS DAVIS, SON OF JAMES - a work of mere search and compilation - and also, we have attempted to contact the many now living for information pertinent to continuation of the genealogy - a process slower of accomplishment but far more interesting and human.

The numbering and arrangement are those recommended by the New England Historic Genealogical Society, the numbering, however, being presently applied only to the male lines. The reference mark "#" signifies that this line is continued under the number assigned.

To make the reading more interesting, only a few abbreviations are used; also, in order not to clutter up the text with many references, which often makes reading unattractive, references are grouped after each family. A complete bibliography will follow.

That there are errors, there can be little doubt; those brought to our attention will be corrected with appreciation.

If interested in heraldry, we find that of all the Davis coats of arms, that of Northamptonshire, England, is the one most widely used. It is de-

scribed in Burke's General Armory, Burke's Landed Gentry, Burke's Peerage and Baronetage and in other reliable works on heraldry. It has been used for generations by many American branches of the Davis Family and is described as follows:

Arms: Gules, a chevron engrailed between three boar's heads erased argent.
(A chevron between three silver boar's heads on a red shield.)

Crest: On a chapeau gules, turned up ermine, a boar statant.
(A boar standing upon a red hat with a turned-up ermine brim.)

Motto: Virtute duc comite fortuna.
(Under the guidance of valor, accompanied by good fortune.)

Sir Bernard Burke, of Heralds' College, London, said, "Heraldry is prized by all who can show honorable ancestry or wish to found honorable families."

Abbreviations:	ge	age(d)
	b.	born
	bp.	baptized
	d.	died
	dau.	daughter
	g.s.	grave stone
	m.	married
	p.	page
	ref.	reference
	sp.	sine prole (without issue)
	unm.	unmarried
	Vol.	Volume

DESCENDANTS OF BARNABAS DAVIS, SON OF JAMES

NO.

I

II

III

IV

Generation

JAMES
DAVIS

England

1599-1685
BARNABAS m.
(1) Elizabeth
(2) Patience

READE

(Probably
others)SAMUEL m.
Mary Watersb. 1638
BARNABASPATIENCE m.
William RidlandNATHANIEL m.
(1) Mary Converse
(2) Mary EdmundsHOPEWELL m.
(1) Sarah Boynton
(2) MercyJAMES m.
Elizabeth RandallELIZABETH m.
Church

MARY m.

(1) Isaac Lewis
(2) Thomas Pratt

JOHN m.

Mehitable Shedd

SARAH m.

Joseph Cody

SAMUEL

BARNABAS

PATIENCE m.

John Green

William

Nathaniel

Patience

Joanna

Mary

Barnabas

NATHANIEL

MARY m.

(1) Longfellow
(2) William Sheafe

BARNABAS

SARAH m.

Thomas Scamon

NATHANIEL

ZECHARIAH m.

Mildred Brigden

JOSIAH

SIMON

MARY

ELIZABETH m.

Samuel Kidder

JOHN

JOSEPH

EBENEZER

SARAH m.

Thomas Palmer

ELEANOR

JOHN m.

Mary Kimball

ELIZABETH m.

Charles Hunnewell

PATIENCE

WILLIAM

HANNAH

RANDALL m.

Mehitable Rand

NATHANIEL

BARNABAS m.

Elizabeth Donje

(DESCENDANTS OF BARNABAS DAVIS, SON OF JAMES)

DESCENDANTS OF NATHANIEL AND MARY DAVIS

III
Generation

IV

V

VI

b. 1642
NATHANIEL
DAVIS
d. 1724

s. of

BARNABAS
m.

1. Mary
Converse
d. 1690

2. Mary
Edmunds
d. 1731

b. 1676
NATHANIEL
d. 1677

MARY, m.
1. Longfellow
2. Wm. Sheafe

BARNABAS

SARAH, m.
Thomas Bogdon

NATHANIEL

ZECHARIAH, m.
Mildred Brigden

JOSIAH

b. 1693
SIMON
d. 1694MARY
("Secundus")b. 1697-8
ELIZABETH, m.
Sam'l. Kidder

b. 1705-6
William

Nathaniel

Mary, m.
Gershom Griffiths

Benjamin
James
Anne

b. 1718
Ebenezer
d. 1718

b. 1711
ZECHARIAH
d. 1718

MILDRED

MILDRED, m.
Jos. Whittemore

ZECHARIAH

ZECHARIAH

MARY, m.
Richard Rand

NATHANIEL

JAMES

ELIZABETH

THOMAS

b. 1719
Elizabeth
d. 1719

Mildred, m.
Nathaniel
Frothingham

Mary

Joseph

HANNAH, m.
Isaac Symmes

Mary
Mehetabel

Mildred
Richard

MARY
MARY
MILDRED
NATHANIEL
REBECCA

b. 1751
NATHANIEL

DESCENDANTS OF JAMES AND ELIZABETH (RANDALL) DAVIS

III
Generation

IV

V

VI

b. 1650
JAMES
DAVIS

s. of
BARNABAS

m.
Elizabeth
Randall

ELIZABETH, m.
Chas. Hunnewell,
d. 1737

PATIENCE

WILLIAM

HANNAH

RANDALL, m.
Mehitable Rand

NATHANIEL

BARNABAS, m.
Elizabeth Dowse

Charles

Joseph
Elizabeth

William

Jane, m.
Sam'l. Nutting

Patience

Richard
Mary

RANDOL
MEHITABLE
HANNAH

BARNABAS

ELIZABETH, m.
Abraham Foster

MARY, m.
1. John Hogan
2. Joe. Watt

NATHANIEL

JONATHAN

JONATHAN

HANNAH, m.
John Turner

JAMES

LEAZER

Elizabeth
Charles
William
Lucy
James
William
Margaret

Samuel
John
Sarah
Mary
Abigail

Mary
Mary
Richard
Elizabeth

WINIFRED

Elizabeth
Abraham

NATHANIEL
ANNE
MARGARET
ELIZABETH

JONATHAN
MARY

John
Sarah
Hannah
William
Barnabas
Barnabas
Hannah
Mary
James Davis
Hannah
Nathaniel, b. 1774

DESCENDANTS OF RANDALL AND MEHITABLE (RAND) DAVIS

IV
Generation

V

VI

VII

b. 1686-7
RANDALL
DAVIS

s. of

JAMES
DAVISm.
Mehitable
Rand
1687-1790
(103 yrs)b. 1710-30
RANDOL, m.
Susanna Griffynb. 1714
MEHITABLEb. 1716
HANNAH

JAMES (of Sudbury)

b. 1736
WILLIAM
D. YOUNGb. 1736
AMOS, m.
1. Ruth Warren
2. Hannah Spaulding1749-1821
RICHARD, m.
Lois Whitneyb. 1751
WILLIAM, m.
Martha WhitneySILAS 1772-1851
SOLOMON 1774-1846
LOIS 1775-1857
RICHARD 1778-
ELISHA 1779-1812
LUCY 1781-1850
DANIEL 1782-1803
JAMES 1785-1843
DELIA 1786-1798
JONAH 1788-
MOBY 1790-
LEONARD 1792-SUSANNAH b. 1776
MARTHA b. 1777
LUCY b. 1778
b. 1781
LYDIA, m.
Steven Davis
BATHSHEBA 1803-07
b. 1785
SOLOMON WHITNEY
ISRAEL b. 1788
BATHSHEBA b. 1783
TIMOTHY b. 1785

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DESCENDANTS OF BARNABAS DAVIS,
SON OF JAMES

1ST AND 2ND GENERATIONS

1. James Davis, of England.

2. Barnabas Davis.
(James (1))

Son of James Davis, b. in England about 1599; d. at Charlestown, Mass., 27(28) Nov, 1685. He m. (1) Elizabeth _____; (2) Patience _____; b. about 1608; d. 15 Nov, 1690.

Barnabas Davis, (called Barnaby in some records), the progenitor of this branch of the many Davis families, was b. in England about 1599. He came to America from Tewkesbury, England, in July, 1635, in the ship "Blessing," and gave his age at that time as 36 years. Settling in Charlestown, Mass., the records list him as a tallow-chandler, or a maker of, and dealer in, tallow candles. He was in the employ of John and William Woodcock, when he made several journeys to Connecticut, and in 1640/1, he brought suit against them for wages. He mentioned a brother, Reade, in England.

Barnabas Davis owned considerable real estate for his time, the records showing several transactions. On 8 Jan, 1643/4, he was granted two acres on Lovell's Island. In 1658, he was at "the division of wood and common on the Mistick side." On 4 Apr, 1659, he deposed that he was then about 60 years old. Six years later he purchased from John Cutler three-fourths of an acre in Eastfield, on the side of Bunker Hill, which was bounded southwest by a highway through a field; on the southeast by R. Lowden; on the northwest by N. Hutcheson; and on the northeast by his own property, with "a cartway to be provided for Cutler through this lot and part of the Davis lot on the southeast, or marsh, side."

According to the town book, Barnabas Davis was required to make 11½ poles of fence in Eastfield in 1667/8. On 24 Dec, 1678, but not recorded until 1685, he deeded to his son Nathaniel "one-half of the house and land I bought of M. Smith in exchange for land he bought of Smith where my son now dwelleth, and the leanto adjoining and seven feet of land backward for a ladder to the leanto." Witnesses to this were Richard and Jonathan Kettle and Lawrence Dowse.

In 1681, he was granted "two commons," and the following year he sold to Thomas Pearse three acres bounded on the south by the Mystic river; on the west by Wildredge's hill; on the north by range; on the west by driftway; and on the east and south by Thomas Pearse. He deeded to his son Hopewell, in 1683, "the other part of the estate," bounded south and southeast by a street; northwest by Crooked lane; northeast by garden and house of Nathaniel Davis; southwest by Lawrence Dowse. Barnabas, then about 74 years of age, was given "liberty to occupy the lean-to." There was a grant of three and one-half acres in 1685, bounded east and south by two-pole way; southwest by T. Creawell; west and north by John Fosdick, T. Marble, and A. Fowle; and northeast by Lidia Marshall.

With his sons Nathaniel and Hopewell, and Patience, five acres "on the Mystic side" were deeded to Thomas Willis in 1685 (recorded 1694/5), bounded southwest by Brattle's marsh; northeast by Sprague's marsh "now of Lawrence Dowse's children and B. Switzer," with a highway running through the northeast side.

The inventory of Barnabas Davis was sworn to 15 Feb, 1685/6, amounting to 96 pounds. He d. either 27, or 38, Nov, 1685, "as about 86 years."

Elizabeth Davis, perhaps first wife of Barnabas, was admitted to the church in Charlestown, Mass., 8 Jan, 1635. His second wife, Patience, d. 15 Nov, 1690, as 87 years, outliving Barnabas by about five years.

There were six children according to the records, as follows:

- 3 #Samuel, d. 28 Dec, 1699.
- 4 Barnabas, as 34(28) in 1663.
- 5 Patience, as 21 in 1661; m. William Ridland.
- 6 #Nathaniel, as 40 in 1683.
- 7 #Hopewell, d. 17 Aug, 1712.
- 8 #James, d. about 1650.

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 278. New England Families, Cutter; p. 681. Mass. Hist. Coll. Vol.VIII, p. 270. Frothingham; p. 152. Savage, Vol.II, p.15.)

3RD GENERATION

3. Samuel Davis,
(Barnabas (3), James (1))

Son of Barnabas and Patience Davis; d. 28 Dec. 1699. He m. Mary Waters, dau. of Lawrence and Ann (Linton) Waters. She was b. at Watertown, Mass., 27 Jan. 1637/8.

Samuel Davis was "of Groton, Mass." According to the selectman's records in Charlestown, Mass., his wife and five children were with him "from Groton" at W. Ridland's in Charlestown on 20 March, 1675/6. Wyman states that Barnabas and wife Hannah, of Littleton, Mass., 1731, may have been of this family.

His will was devised to John, Nathaniel and Samuel and to daughters Elizabeth Church, Mary Pratt, Sarah Cade (?Cody) and Patience Green. Widow Mary was administratrix to son Samuel, of Chelmsford, Mass., 29 May, 1713.

There were seven children according to the records, as follows:

9. Elizabeth, b. Charlestown, Mass., 11 Nov, 1658; m. _____ Church.
10. Mary, b. 31 Jan, 1662/3; m. (1) Isaac Lewis; (2) Thomas Pratt.
11. #John, b. 10 March, 1664.
12. Sarah, b. 12 Aug, 1667; m. Capt. Joseph Cody.
13. Samuel, b. 10 Jan, 1669.
14. Barnabas, b. 17 Apr, 1672; d. Aug, 1690.
15. Patience, b. 10 Apr, 1674; m. John Green.

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 378. Groton, Butler, p. 394. Savage; Vol.II, p.578.)

6. Nathaniel Davis.
(Barnabas (2), James (1))

Son of Barnabas and Patience Davis; b. about 1642; "an aged man" May, 1724. He m. (1) at Woburn, Mass., 31 March, 1675 Mary Converse, dau. of Lieut. James and Ann (Long) Converse. She d. Nov, 1690 (6 Nov, 1691) ae 38. He m. (2) 15 July, 1693 Mary Edmunds, dau. of Joshua and Elizabeth (Palgrove) Edmunds. She d. 18(21) Apr, 1721, ae 65.

Nathaniel Davis by trade was a glazier and a sawyer. Like his father, he handled considerable real estate for his time, Charlestown records showing that in 1678 he bought of Matthew Smith, Sr., land which was bounded on the northwest by a street, 42, northeast by Matthew Smith; southwest by house and ground of Nathaniel Davis, rear 31 feet. The same year there was a transaction "to and of Barnabas Davis (ref. J. Melvin)," and in 1685 "with Barnabas Davis to Thomas Willie." In 1690, he was listed in Charlestown as "one of the constables." In 1693, with Thomas Russell, M. Watkins and P. Russell, to S. Whittemore were deeded three and one-third acres "commons second division Mystic side," bounded on the south by B. Sweetser, Ann Shepherd, and east to north then west by the Medford river, one-half circle.

In 1710/1, there was recorded to his son Zechariah (ref. D. Devens), a gift of land 29 feet front on S. Kidder, "straight line, 37, etc," and in 1713 (not recorded until 1734/5), a transaction in which his wife did not join, four and one-half acres "first division land laid to John Pentecost," were deeded to John Tufts, bounded on the north and northwest by a highway; southeast by widow Gould; and southwest by Jonathan Crouch. His wife Mary joined him in 1716/7 to deed to widow Sarah Newell land which was bounded on the north by Bow street, 10 feet; east by S. Kidder, 37; south by Sarah Newell's land "belonging to house late of Zechariah Davis, 34;" west by Nathaniel Davis, 46; with "a three-foot way at west to come at land."

He had a legacy from Alexander Mitchell in 1717/8. To his son Zechariah, in 1731, he deeded one-half wood-lot, whole $13\frac{1}{2}$ acres "first division Mystic side, No. 50, between R. Long and B. Wilson." Also,

four and one-half acres and four and one-half acres more enclosed with others by Jonathan Green, second division, No. 50. The next year (ref. R. Foster, Jr.) he deeded to Joseph Hopkins three-fourths of an acre on Bunker Hill, bounded southwest by highway, one chain, 48 links; northwest by Joseph Rand, five chains, 34 links; northeast by heirs of Nathaniel and Hopewell Davis, one chain, 60 links; and southeast by same, five chains, 39 links.

In 1724, his neighbors were listed as Rebecca Center, Elizabeth Miller and Elizabeth Lewis. He left a house bounded on the east by a cow lane, 25; west by Eben Rand's land, fenced to Bow street; northwest by Bow street, 20 feet 9; and north by Mrs. Grant's land, fenced.

His wife, Mary (Converse) Davis, was admitted to the church at Charlestown, Mass., 15 Apr, 1677. Wyman states that one daughter lived at Marblehead, Mass., who m. in 1724.

There were seven children by the first marriage according to the records, as follows:

- 16 Nathaniel, b. 16 Aug, 1676; bp. 15 Apr, 1677.
- 17 Mary, b. 26 March, 1680; m. (1) _____ Longfellow; (2) William Sheafe.
- 18 Barnabas, b. 31 Dec, 1681; bp. 25 Oct, 1681/2; d. 18 Sep, 1682.
- 19 Sarah, b. 17 June, 1683; bp. 22 July, 1683; m. Thomas Scamon.
- 20 Nathaniel, b. 14 Nov, 1685.
- 21 #Zechariah (Zachary), b. 29 July, 1688.
- 22 Josiah, b. 16 June, 1690; d. 23 June, 1690.

There were three children by the second marriage, as follows:

- 23 Simon, b. 28 Apr, 1693; d. 10 Sep, 1694.
- 24 Mary, b. 15 Feb, 1695; bp. 16 June, 1695. She was called Mary "Seoundus;" lived with Mary Long, 1724; made gloves; kept boarders (petition to court); took care of father, 1727; administratrix to W. Sheafe, 21 Oct, 1747; inventory, 136 pounds, personal.
- 25 Elizabeth, b. 1 Jan, 1697/8; m. Samuel Kidder.

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 279. Savage; Vol. II, p. 15.)

7. Hopewell Davis.
(Barnabas (2), James (1))

Son of Barnabas and Patience Davis; d. 17 Aug, 1712, ae about 68. He m. (1) Sarah Boynton, who d. 14 Dec, 1704, ae 47; (2) Mercy ____ "who was a widow 25 Feb, 1717/8."

Hopewell Davis was in the Narraganset war in 1676.

In 1677, he bought one and one-half acres of land from Jonathan Bunker, and in 1679 (recorded in 1681) he bought of R. Lowden one-half acre bounded north and east by Hopewell Davis; south by Jacob Green; and west by a field highway. He had a real estate transaction with his father Barnabas in 1683, and in 1685, with his father, to Willie.

The heirs of Hopewell Davis, viz: T. Palmer and wife, and Eleanor Davis, gave a quit claim deed to their father's estate to John Davis in 1719.

According to the records, there were six children, all by the first marriage, as follows:

- 36 John, b. 13 Apr, 1684.
- 37 Joseph, b. 10 Feb, 1686/7; bp. 13 Feb, 1686/7; d. 19 Apr, 1687.
- 28 Ebenezer, b. 25 March, 1688; bp. 6 May, 1688; d. 24 Aug, 1688.
- 39 Sarah, b. 30 Oct, 1690; m. Thomas Palmer.
- 30 Eleanor, b. 12 Jan, 1693; bp. 14 Jan, 1693.
- 31 #John, b. 25 Aug, 1698.

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 280. Savage; Vol.II.)

8. James Davis.
(Barnabas (2), James (1))

Son of Barnabas and Patience Davis; b. about 1650. He m. Elizabeth Randall "of Scituate," dau. of William and Elizabeth Randall. She was b. 1651; d. probably at Boston, Mass., after 1693.

James Davis was a cordwainer by trade, that is a shoemaker or worker in leather. He lived in Scituate and in Charlestown, Mass. He was of Charlestown in

1658 when he had "four acres, one common," and when he was in a transaction with Barnabas Davis to one Willis. He was in Scituate in 1673 "when he had lands in the Conibasset laid out," and in 1675 when he "sold a house in Charlestown."

James Davis and wife sold to S. Green, in 1693/4, 14 acres woods, second division, bounded on the north by Mystic bridge; north and south by Carter; south by John Cutler; east by Joseph Kettle; and west by E. Wilson. And, in 1715, as recorded on p. 63 of the town book, he sold to H. Phillips "four acres woods No. 196, north side Medford river."

In 1718, he gave sworn evidence of "being one of the three most ancient inhabitants in town," concerning William Phillips.

There were seven children according to the records, as follows:

- 32 Elizabeth; bp. as adult, 21 Aug, 1684; m. Charles Hunnewell.
- 33 Patience; as 18 on 21 Apr, 1685.
- 34 William; b. Charlestown, Mass., 1 Feb, 1679.
- 35 Hannah; b. 27 Apr, 1684.
- 36 #Randall; b. 3 Feb, 1686/7.
- 37 Nathaniel; b. 29 Dec, 1689; d. unm. 21 Dec, 1721, of small pox, as 32.
- 38 #Barnabas; b. 10 July, 1692.

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 280. New England Families, Cutter; p. 681. Savage; Vol. II, p. 16. Randall, Randall; p. 4.)

4TH GENERATION

11. John Davis.
(Samuel(3), Barnabas(2), James(1))

Son of Samuel and Mary (Waters) Davis; b. 10 March, 1664, d. 25 Oct, 1704. He m. Mehitable Shedd.

Child (probably more):

39. Sarah, b. 1694; m. Lt. John Holden.

(Ref: Holden, Putnam; Vol. I, pp. 47, 76, 112. Compend. Amer. Gen.; Vol. IV, p. 271.)

31. Zechariah Davis.
(Nathaniel(3), Barnabas(2), James(1))

Son of Nathaniel and Mary (Converse) Davis; b. 29 July, 1688; bp. 5 Aug, 1688; d. 19 March, 1745, ae 57 years, 8 months (g.s.). He m. 7 Dec, 1710, Mary Brigden, dau. of Nathaniel and Elizabeth (Whaff) Brigden. She was b. 3 June, 1694; bp. 10 June, 1694.

Zechariah Davis was a hatter and a tallow-chandler. The history of Charlestown, Mass., records several land transactions in his name. In 1710/11, a deed of land from his father was recorded. In 1716/7, he sold a house to Sarah Newell, bounded by Middlegate street, 30; west by Nathaniel Davis, 46; north by Nathaniel Davis, 33; south by S. Kidder, 37. The same year he bought of Thomas Call, Jr., a "new house." Also, to "J. Lynde, mortgage same," bounded by street, 76; southwest by river, 13 feet, nine, etc. This mortgage was discharged in 1728.

In 1721, he purchased wood-lots of his father Nathaniel and of John Davis. He purchased of J. Prescott a house and one-quarter acre bounded north and east by way near mill; and with wife Mildred sold a house and one-quarter acre "bought of Call, house

late of father" bounded east and west by way into town; west by Schoolhouse hill; north by widow Grant; and south by John Davis. Also recorded in this year were three deeds for a lot in Concord, Mass.

He was of Concord in 1724, and was "heir of Uncle Hopewell's Narragansett rights" in 1728. From 1727 to 1742 Zechariah Davis was taxed in Charlestown, with abatement for 1740 taxes made in 1742. He joined with Brigden heirs in 1727 for a sale to Joseph Rand, and in 1729 (recorded 1733) he sold to S. Page 25 acres, first division; bounded north and south by ranges; east by N. Wilson; and west by Jonathan Kettle. A mortgage to Thomas Symmes on house and barn in 1735 was discharged 1 Apr, 1749.

On 8 Apr, 1745, he was administrator to wife Mildred, with inventory part of house, 370 pounds. A house was sold to Abraham Whitney 1 Apr, 1749 (ref. Jennison, Lee, Lovering) "beginning at southeast side of house on street running northwest through and seven feet back of house, being 20 feet broad and running northwest to other street; southwest by Elizabeth Rand; northeast by Joseph."

Mildred (Brigden) Davis had a twin sister, Alice, who m. (1) Benjamin Phillips, 1719; (2) John Phillips, 1727. After the death of Zechariah Davis, his widow m. James Kettell, 1749.

There were 10 children according to the records, as follows:

- 40 Zechariah, b. 19 Aug, 1711; bp. 9 Sep, 1711; d. 11 Oct, 1712, ae one year, two months (g.s.).
- 41 Mildred, b. 18 Nov, 1713; bp. 23 Nov, 1713; d. 9 Apr, 1713, ae about five months (g.s.).
- 42 Mildred, bp. 20(?) Dec, 1713; m. Joseph Whittemore.
- 43 Zechariah, d. 19 Aug, 1714.
- 44 #Zechariah, b. 18(?) Sep, 1715.
- 45 Mary, bp. 23 June, 1717; m. Richard Rand.
- 46 #Nathaniel, bp. 16 Aug, 1719.
- 47 James, d. 28 Sep, 1720, ae one day (g.s.).
- 48 Elizabeth, bp. 24 Sep, 1721.
- 49 Thomas, bp. 21 Oct, 1722; (taxed, 1744).

31. John Davis.
(Hopewell(3), Barnabas(2), James(1))

Son of Hopewell and Sarah (Boynton) Davis; b. 25 Aug. 1698; bp. 6 Nov. 1698. He m. Mary Kimball.

By trade, John Davis was a joiner, or carpenter. He was of Rowley and of Charlestown, Mass., where he was admitted to the church 31 June, 1719. In 1731, John Davis and wife sold to Zechariah Davis "wood-lots, 13½ acres No. 50, granted Barnabas Davis," and the next year he sold to R. Foster, Jr., et al, four and one-half acres, 18 poles on Bunker Hill, bounded on the southwest by a road, three chains, 27 links; northwest by Nathaniel Davis, five chains, 81 links; northeast by Mystic river four chains, 75 links; southeast by H. Phillips 11 chains, 58 links. To Eben Rand he sold in 1735, the south half of tenement occupied by R. Bateman and bounded on the southeast by cow lane; southeast (? southwest) by Eleazer Dowse; dec.; northwest by Bow street, 100; and northeast by other half heirs of Nathaniel Davis. (No further records.)

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 280.)

36. Randall Davis.
(James(3), Barnabas(2), James(1))

Son of James and Elizabeth (Randall) Davis; b. at Charlestown, Mass., 3 Feb., 1686/7; bp. as adult 30 June, 1714; d. at Sudbury, Mass., 17 March, 1774. He m. 8 Dec., 1709, Mehitable Rand, dau. of John and Mehitable (Cail) Rand. She was b. about 1687, and d. at Sudbury, Mass., 9(39) March, 1790, as 103 years!

Randall Davis was in Charlestown, Mass., in 1714, when he sold with J. Lewis to John Rand "lot 3, 621 feet," bounded on the southeast by Schoolhouse lane, 44 feet, four; northwest by Middle street, 53; northeast by Randall Davis. In 1719/30, he sold a house to Barnabas Davis.

According to Cutter, Randall Davis moved from Charlestown to Sudbury, Mass.

There were three children, b. in Charlestown, Mass., and one child b. in Sudbury, Mass., according to the records, as follows:

- 50 #Randall, b. about 1710/30.
- 51 Mchitable, bp. 11 July, 1714.
- 52 Hannah, bp 23 Apr, 1716; m. Nathaniel Rand.
- 53 James, "of Sudbury."

(Ref: New England Families, Cutter; p. 681.
Charlestown, Wyman.)

38. Barnabas Davis.
(James(3), Barnabas(2), James(1))

Son of James and Elizabeth (Randall) Davis; b. 10 July, 1693; bp. 23 Aug, 1719. He m. Elizabeth Dowse, dau. of Capt. Eleazer and Mary (Edmonds) Dowse. She was b. 10 Feb, 1698; bp. 12 Feb. 1698.

Barnabas Davis was a shipwright, or builder of ships and other vessels, and lived in Charlestown, Mass. He was taxed there 1727-1758, and had several land transactions. In 1719/20, he bought of Randall Davis and his wife a house, bounded on the west by Middlegate street, 30; on the east by Schoolhouse lane; west by John Rand; and north by J. Lewis, "to extend from middle of well up hill 37 feet; to extend three feet from house and run a straight line up to bounds of 16 feet at Schoolhouse lane, 28 feet rear." He was billed for a mortgage in 1721, which mortgage was discharged in 1725. With the Dowse heirs, he sold wood-lots to C. Crooks in 1737, and in 1739/40, with same heirs, to Jonathan Edmunds, quit claim, "one-quarter of close," etc., and the same year to Edmunds three-quarters of pasture, as recorded in 1743.

Again, with the Dowse heirs in 1740/1, he sold to Stephen Hall 13 acres woods in Charlestown, on the north side of Medford. In 1743, Barnabas Davis bought of I. Rand and John Tayner, a lot bounded northwest by Middlegate street, 40; northeast by Barnabas Davis; southeast by School street, 29; southwest by Ropemakers lane, 81. He joined with his wife Elizabeth and children, grandchildren and

heirs of Elizabeth Dowse in 1744 (recorded 1760) and sold to R. Miller a lot bounded southeast by commons; southwest by Mildred Brigden; northwest by J. Bradish and J. Kettel; northeast by T. Welch; and also with them in 1761 (recorded 1767), he sold to John Turner a lot bounded northeast by Middlegate street, 33 $\frac{1}{4}$; on Bow street, 33 feet, 11; northwest by Thomas Rand "street to street; and southeast by N. Phillips.

Barnabas Davis and wife Elizabeth sold to son James, in 1761, the northwest end of house, and in 1765, to Seth Sweetser, a garden bounded on the east by Town-house hill, 32; south by lane between the land and Manser and Sweetser's land, 36; west by other part of garden from lane to land sold son James; north by son's land to the hill, 36.

He was administrator to James Davis 29 Dec, 1767, inventory showing "one end of old house and garden, 48 pounds." He was second administrator to S. Sweetser 30 Jan, 1770, with inventory 41 pounds.

There were nine children according to the records, as follows:

- 54 #Barnabas, bp. 23 Aug, 1719.
- 55 Elizabeth, b. 3 Apr, 1720; m. Abraham Foster, Jr.
- 56 Mary, b. 1 July, 1723; m. (1) John Hogins, "a mariner;" (2) Joseph Watts.
- 57 #Nathaniel, b. 1 Feb, 1725/6.
- 58 Jonathan, bp. 1 Sep, 1728; d. in infancy.
- 59 #Jonathan, b. 20 Feb, 1730/1.
- 60 Hannah, bp. 30 March, 1735/6; m. John Turner.
- 61 #James, bp. 5 March, 1737/8.
- 62 Eleazer, bp. 8 June, 1740; "of Holliston; claimed for loss, 1775."

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; pp. 280, 307. Dowse, Dowse; pp. 29, 127, 142-150.)

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44. Zechariah Davis.
(Zechariah(4), Nathaniel(3), Barnabas(2), James(1))

Son of Zechariah and Mildred (Brigden) Davis; b. 18(?) Sep, 1715. He m. 28 June, 1739, Hannah Brazier, dau. of Thomas and Hannah (Webb) Brazier. She was b. 17 Jan, 1716/7; bp. 30 Jan, 1716/7.

Zechariah was a mariner and was either taken or lost at sea. Records show his tax was abated for 1740. He was admitted to the church at Charlestown, Mass., 1 Sep, 1734. He was administrator 8 Apr, 1745, to widow Hannah.

Only one child shows on the records, as follows:

63 Hannah, bp. 27 Feb, 1742/3; m. Isaac Symmes.

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; pp. 117, 280. Symmes, Vinton; p. 75.)

46. Nathaniel Davis.
(Zechariah(4), Nathaniel(3), Barnabas(2), James(1))

Son of Zechariah and Mildred (Brigden) Davis; bp. 16 Aug, 1719; d. 31 March, (buried 3 Apr,) 1759. He m. 27 Oct, 1741, Ann Badger, dau. of Stephen and Anne (Doubleday) Badger. She was b. 26 July, 1720; bp. 31 July, 1720.

Nathaniel Davis was a baker. He was admitted to the church in Charlestown, Mass., 31 July, 1737. Records show that he was taxed there in 1756 and in 1758. His inventory, dated 3 July, 1760, showed 182 pounds.

There were six children according to the records, as follows:

64 Mary, bp. 18 Dec, 1743.
65 Mary, bp. 3 March, 1744/5.

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66 Mildred, b. 13(?) Apr, 1746.
 67 Nathaniel, bp. 17 May, 1747.
 68 Rebecca, bp. 15 Apr, 1750; admitted to the
 church 22 Aug, 1774.
 69 Nathaniel, bp. 17 Nov, 1751.

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 380.)

50. Randall Davis.

(Randall(4), James(3), Barnabas(3), James(1))

Son of Randall and Mehitable (Rand) Davis; bp. at Weston, Mass., 24 Apr, 1720, "abt 10 D-s old." He m. Susanna Griffyn, dau. of Johanan and Libian Griffyn.

Randall (Randol. Randolph) Davis was received into the church in Weston, Mass., 24 Apr, 1720 - "Randl had his Testim' from ye Min: in Charlestown y't he had There own'd ye Covent." He moved from Charlestown to Sudbury, Mass., and was of that town 28 Oct, 1741, when he was among the petitioners for the Sudbury Canada rights on account of an ancestor in the Expedition of 1690. These rights were eventually located in Jay and Canton, Maine.

He removed to Rindge, N.H., before 1780 and resided there several years. He and his wife had seats in the meeting house there in 1780; they removed from Rindge before 1793. Stearns writes that "if all the Davises who went from this town at that time had gone to the same place, they would have founded a city."

There were four children according to the records, as follows:

70 William, b. Sudbury, Mass., 31 (records) Sep, 1736; d. young.
 71 #Amos (twin) b. 31 Sep, 1736.
 72 #Richard, b. 21 May, 1749.
 73 #William, b. 15 Apr, 1751.

(Ref: Weston; p. 400. New England Families, Cutter; p. 681. Rindge, Stearns; p. 503.)

54. Barnabas Davis.

(Barnabas(4), James(3), Barnabas(3), James(1))

Son of Barnabas and Elizabeth (Dowse) Davis; bp. 23 Aug, 1719; buried 8 Dec, 1763. He m. 17 July, 1740 Winifred Brigden, dau. of Michael and Winifred (Sprague) Brigden. She was b. 11 Apr, 1721; bp. 16 Apr, 1721; d. at Malden, Mass., 25 Nov, 1794, at 74 years.

Barnabas Davis was a hatter. He was taxed in Charlestown, Mass., in 1744, and in that year, with his father, he gave a deed to R. Miller.

There was one child as shows by the records:

74 Winifred, b. 17 June, 1743; bp. 19 June, 1743; m. James Swift, Jr.

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 281.)

57. Nathaniel Davis.

(Barnabas(4), James(3), Barnabas(3), James(1))

Son of Barnabas and Elizabeth (Dowse) Davis; b. 1 Feb, 1725/6; bp. 6 Feb, 1725/6. He m. (1) Ann(e) Goodwin, dau. of Timothy and Abigail (Blunt) Goodwin. She was bp. 24 Aug, 1712; he m. (2) 4 Apr, 1757, Anne Patten.

Nathaniel Davis was a sea-captain. According to Calley, there was news of his death 7 Dec, 1763; his second wife claimed for loss in 1775. As "Nathaniel, Jr.," he was taxed in Charlestown, Mass., in 1756 and 1758, and as "Nathaniel" in 1761 and 1762. His name shows with heirs of his father on deeds in 1774 and 1749. He was administrator to widow Ann 7 Feb, 1763.

There were three children by the first marriage, and one child by the second marriage, according to the records, as follows:

75 Nathaniel, bp. 28 Apr, 1753.

76 Anne, bp. 14 July, 1754; d. early (small foot-stone).

77 Margaret, bp. 1 Aug, 1756.

78 Elizabeth, bp. 18 March, 1759. "Elizabeth Davis, ae 38, blind and child as three" of town poor, 1783/4. Ae 39, 1 Oct, 1785.

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 281.)

59. Jonathan Davis.

(Barnabas(4), James(3), Barnabas(2), James(1))

Son of Barnabas and Elizabeth (Dowse) Davis; b. 20 Feb, 1730/1; bp. 31 Feb, 1730/1. He m. 14 Sep, 1753, Martha Burrill.

Jonathan Davis was a leather-dresser. He was taxed in Charlestown, Mass., in 1756 and also from 1761 to 1765. An order in 1770 said he was "to be distrained for tax of 1767." His name is on a deed in 1757 with heirs of his father. His wife owned covenant 31 March, 1751. The name of "Martha Davis" shows in the census of 1789. His (large) foot-stone is in the burial ground in Charlestown.

There were two children according to the records, as follows:

79 Jonathan, bp. 31 March, 1754.

80 Mary, bp. 12 Sep, 1756.

(No further record.)

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 281.)

61. James Davis.

(Barnabas(4), James(3), Barnabas(2), James(1))

Son of Barnabas and Elizabeth (Dowse) Davis; bp. 5 March, 1737/8. He m. 4 Aug, 1761, Sarah Goodwin, dau. of John and Ann (Davison) Goodwin. She was b. 31(?) Feb, 1742.

James Davis was a shipwright. According to the records, he was taxed in Charlestown, Mass., in 1765. Records also show deed of father for northwest half of house occupied by Jonathan Davis, bounded southwest by Middlegate street, 15; southeast by other half and back from house 11 feet to

wall; northwest by John Parker, from Middlegate street to Town-house hill, 74; northeast Town-house hill, 33; south by Barnabas Davis, 42, from hill to bank or wall, there 37 feet from Parker's land; and passage to well, etc., 1761.

He was administrator 8 March, 1766, to widow Sarah, who sold to John Rand part of garden given by husband, and bounded northeast by Town-house hill, 33; south by S. D., 36; northwest by Abigail Parker, 26; southwest by S. D., 33. Witness to this transaction was Richard Hunnewell, 1769, (recorded 1782).

Widow Sarah shows in valuation in 1771, No. 44. She claimed for loss of half of house in 1775. Her heirs, John Jepson and wife Ann, Samuel Jenkins, Elizabeth Jenkins, W. Goodwin, Hannah Lydiet, sold a lot in 1786 to D. Goodwin, bounded by Cow lane, 16; on Mrs. Parker, 45; Town-hill, 13; John Nutton and Sweetser, 77. (No further record.)

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; pp. 281, 419.)

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71. Amos Davis.

(Randall(5), Randall(4), James(3), Barnabas(2), James(1))

Son of Randall and Susanna (Griffyn) Davis; b. at Sudbury, Mass., 31 (records) Sep, 1736. He m. (1) at Sudbury, Mass., 8 Apr, 1773, Ruth Warren; (2) at Rindge, N.H., 7 Dec, 1775, Hannah Spaulding. (No further record.)

72. Richard Davis.

(Randall(5), Randall(4), James(3), Barnabas(2), James(1))

Son of Randall and Susanna (Griffyn) Davis; b. at Sudbury, Mass., 21 May, 1749; d. at Jaffrey, N.H., 24 May, 1821. He m. at Lincoln, Mass., 19 Nov, 1771, Lois Whitney, dau. of Solomon and Martha (Fletcher) Whitney. She was b. at Rindge, N.H., 26 June, 1748/9; d. 19 Jan, 1823.

Richard Davis lived at Lincoln, Mass., whence he removed in 1773 to Rindge, N.H., and in 1777 to Jaffrey, N.H., where he settled on Lot No. 1, Range No. 7, "west of the mountain." Last tax paid in Jaffrey was 1803.

Lois (Whitney) Davis was "of Weston." Records of Lincoln, Mass., have her name also as Loice and Louis.

There were 13 children according to the records, as follows:

- 81. #Silas, b. 11 Aug, 1772.
- 82. #Solomon, b. 24 Apr, 1774.
- 83. Lois, b. 8 Nov, 1775; m. Josiah Cobb.
- 84. #Richard, b. 22 July, 1778.
- 85. Elisha, b. Jaffrey, N.H., 6 Sep, 1779; d. 11 Oct, 1813.
- 86. Lucy, b. Jaffrey, N.H., 18(28) Feb, 1781; d. 27 Aug, 1850.

87 Daniel, b. Jaffrey, N.H., 6 Sep, (1 Oct), 1782; d. Chester, Vt., 7 Aug, 1803.
 88 #James, b. 19 Feb, 1782(5).
 89 Delia, b. Jaffrey, N.H., 25 Oct, 1786; d. 27 July, 1799.
 90 #Jonah, b. 5 Oct, 1788.
 91 Molly, b. Jaffrey, N.H., 28 July, 1790; d. 24 July, 1799.
 92 Leonard, b. 5 Dec, 1792.

(Ref: New England Families, Cutter; p. 682. Jaffrey, Cutter; p. 301. Lincoln VR; pp. 30, 130, 146.)

73. William Davis.

(Randall(5), Randall(4), James(3), Barnabas(3), James(1))

Son of Randall and Susanna (Griffyn) Davis; b. 15 Apr, 1751. He m. at Rindge, N.H., 10 May, 1774, Martha Whitney, dau. of Solomon and Martha (Fletcher) Whitney. She was b. 14 May, 1754.

William Davis went to Rindge, N.H., from Lincoln, Mass., in 1773. He served one enlistment in the army and was at the battle of Bennington. In 1780, he removed to Peterboro Slip, N.H., (Sharon), but in a year or two returned to Rindge.

Martha (Whitney) Davis was "of Rindge."

There were eight children according to the records, as follows:

93 Susannah, b. 7 May, 1775.
 94 Martha, b. 24 Oct, 1777.
 95 Lucy, b. 27 Dec, 1778.
 96 Lydia, b. 2 June, 1781; m. Stephen Davis.
 97 Bathsheba, b. 3 Oct, 1783; d. 3 Sep, 1783.
 98 Solomon Whitney, b. 15 May, 1785.
 99 Israel, b. 17 Jan, 1788.
 100 Bathsheba, b. 13 May, 1793.
 101 Timothy, b. 23 March, 1795.

(Ref: New England Families, Cutter; p. 681. Rindge, Stearns; p. 503. New England Hist. and Gen. Register, July, 1857; p. 226.)

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81. Silas Davis.

(Richard(6), Randall(5), Randall(4), James(3), Barnabas(2), James(1))

Son of Richard and Lois (Whitney) Davis; b. at Weston, Vt., 11 Aug, 1772; d. at Londonderry, Vt., 20 Aug, 1851. He m.(1) at Marlborough, N.H., 13 June, 1798 Susannah Tenney, dau. of William and Mehitable (Jones) Tenney. She was b. at Marlborough, N.H., 28 July, 1778. He m.(2) Phoebe (Westcott) Shattuck, who d. 1782.

Silas Davis moved with his parents from Lincoln, Mass., about 1774. He was on the tax list in Weston, Mass., from 1795 to 1801, and about this time removed to Londonderry, Vt., where records show he took a deed of land 3 Feb, 1803, and therein gave Londonderry as his residence.

There were five children by the first marriage, and two children by the second marriage according to the records as follows:

- 102 #William, b. 16 May, 1806.
- 103 Mehitable, b. 23 Sep, 1809; m. Alexander Shumway Whitney.
- 104 Sally, b. 16 Jan, 1812; m. Avery Baon Stowell.
- 105 Elzina, b. 21 Feb, 1814; m. Luther Stowell.
- 106 #Alvin, b. 14 Dec, 1817.
- 107 Phebe M., b. 20 Aug, 1822; m. Lord Sterling.
- 108 Nathaniel Silas, b. at Londonderry, Vt., 29 June, 1827; d. at Londonderry, 24 Nov, 1895, unm. He was familiarly known as "Thad."

(Ref. Jaffrey, Cutter; p. 301. Londonderry, Cudworth; pp. 146-7. Weston VR; p. 130; Tenney; Tenney; p. 209. Lincoln VR; p. 30.)

82. Solomon Davis.

(Richard(6), Randall(5), Randall(4), James(3), Barnabas(2), James(1))

Son of Richard and Lois (Whitney) Davis; b. at Jaffrey, N.H., 24 Apr, 1774; d. at Londonderry, Vt., 4 Oct, 1842. He m. at Londonderry, Vt., 24 Feb, 1803, Hannah Wright. She was b. at Marlborough, N.H., 3 Nov, 1776 and d. at Londonderry, Vt., 9 June, 1867.

According to the records, Solomon Davis paid taxes in Jaffrey, N.H., in 1798 and 1799; and some time later, with date not definitely fixed, he moved to Londonderry, Vt., where his name shows on a deed dated 16 Apr, 1803.

There were six children according to the records, as follows:

- 109 Delia, b. 7 July, 1805; m. Peter Dudley.
- 110 #Solomon Wright, b. 30 Oct, 1808.
- 111 Lydia, b. 8 March, 1811; m. Stephen Dudley.
- 112 Betsey, b. 15 July, 1813; m. Joel Parkhurst Stevens.
- 113 Hannah, b. Londonderry, Vt., 15 May, 1816; d. Londonderry, 12 May, 1833.
- 114 #Daniel, b. 8 Jan, 1819.

(Ref: Jaffrey, Cutter; p. 301. Londonderry, Cudworth; p. 147.)

84. Richard Davis.
(Richard(6), Randall(5), Randall(4), James(3), Barnabas(2), James(1))

Son of Richard and Lois (Whitney) Davis; b. at Jaffrey, N.H., 22 July, 1778; d. in Vermont. He m. Sarah Garfield, dau. of John and Lucy (Smith) Garfield. She was b. at Lincoln, Mass., 11 Apr, 1776.

Richard Davis was of Jaffrey, N.H., in 1816, when his name shows on the tax list. Sarah ("Sallie") (Garfield) Davis was "of Jaffrey."

(Ref: Jaffrey, Cutter; p. 301.)

88. James Davis.
(Richard(6), Randall(5), Randall(4), James(3), Barnabas(2), James(1))

Son of Richard and Lois (Whitney) Davis; b. at Jaffrey, N.H., 19 Feb, 1783(5); d. at Jaffrey, 3 July, 1842. He m. Eunice Alexander. She was b. at Troy, N.H., 27 July, 1788 and d. at Jaffrey, N.H., 7 Nov, 1839.

There were seven children according to the records, as follows:

- 115 #Elisha, b. 2 March, 1813.
- 116 Eastman A., b. Jaffrey, N.H., 18 Aug, 1814.
- 117 Lois Whitney, b. 29 Oct, 1815; m. William Learned.
- 118 #James Sumner, b. 12 July, 1818.
- 119 Mary, b. Jaffrey, N.H., 17(18) June, 1820; d. Scranton, Pa., 27 Apr, 1858; unm.
- 120 #William Leonard, b. 15 March, 1823.
- 121 #Augustus, b. 4 Dec, 1826.

(Ref: Jaffrey, Cutter; p. 301.)

90. Jonah Davis.

(Richard(6), Randall(5), Randall(4), James(3), Barnabas(2), James(1))

Son of Richard and Lois (Whitney) Davis; b. at Jaffrey, N.H., 5 Oct, 1788; d. at Marlborough, N.H., 24 March, 1856. He m. at Marlborough, 20 Aug, 1818, Sarah Wilkinson, dau. of David and Ruth (Allen) Wilkinson. She was b. at Marlborough, N.H., 29 Oct, 1790.

Previous to his marriage, Jonah Davis purchased the house in Marlborough, N.H., into which he moved with his bride on his wedding day, and which they made their home during his life; his widow occupied the house as late as 1881.

Daniel Davis was a shoemaker. He learned his trade from Walter Gates in Marlborough, having "bought his time" of his father at the age of 18. On reaching the age of 21, he found himself in debt to the amount of \$300, on account of sickness. Having in a few years mastered his trade, he paid off this indebtedness by his earnings and, with only a small sum in his purse, he made his way on foot seeking employment. With his tools and all his earthly goods strapped up in his leather apron,

he reached Cambridge, Mass., where he engaged to work at his trade for three months for Enoch Train, a custom boot and shoe manufacturer. Mr. Train engaged him for a term of three years, but before the term had expired, Train was appointed high sheriff of Middlesex County, and the charge of the county jail devolved upon him; but, on account of his other frequent calls to other official duties, this charge was entrusted to Jonah Davis, who served him in this capacity during the remainder of the term.

At the expiration of three years, Jonah Davis returned to Marlborough and entered into partnership with his former master in the business of custom boot and shoe making. About 1815, they erected "the little red shop," (still standing in 1881), on the corner near the library building; and here, for more than 40 years, early and late, Jonah Davis drove his pegs and drew the wax-ends and worked faithfully at his humble calling.

His habits of industry, economy and order were remarkable, and exerted a marked and salutary influence in the community. He was a man of decided convictions and held his political and religious opinions with no uncertain grasp. He was uncompromising in his adherence to principle and rights and was true to his political, religious and temperance principles, even when it cost alienation of friends to be so.

As a citizen, he was always interested in the cause of education, temperance and whatever pertained to the welfare of the town and village, often suggesting improvements and aiding in their summation. He first suggested the location of the present cemetery and was active in having the tract of land set apart for its present use. His interest in civic and religious matters was made manifest also by his subscriptions to such items as painting the meeting-house, purchasing a new bell for same and for erecting a new church. He was appointed postmaster 4 July, 1825, and was town moderator for seven years between 1830 and 1837, and was town treasurer for five years.

Yea, Jonah Davis was a shoemaker, but he deserved

to be classed among the best. He was one that used to attend strictly to business. Well-informed and social, still he allowed no loiterer to hang around his shop. The young that came in were wont to receive the best of advice and were encouraged to be faithful in school and dutiful at home. He was described as "a man of mental strength, good judgment, and emulous to do good as he had opportunity." His wife was known as "a woman of remarkably good common sense and generous feeling."

At the Centennial Celebration of Marlborough, the Rev. Wallingford presented a 68-verse poem in which both Jonah Davis and his wife were publicly recognized.

....
Then Tucker and Davis, the Holmans and Ward
And Jonathan Whitcomb and E.B. Wallingford,
Were considered to be the firm business men,
In the year of our Lord eighteen twenty-one.

....
The next one in order, permit me to say,
And the one that made boots and shoes every day,
Was Davis, our neighbor, who stuck to his trade,
As all could attest by the shoes that he made.

....
Mrs. Davis, a lady in stature quite small,
But to me the fairest and best of them all;
If she were not present to hear what I say,
I'd speak of her virtues more freely today....

There was only child according to the records, as follows:

132 #Edwin, b. 8 May, 1831.

(Ref: Jaffrey, Cutter; p. 301. Marlborough, Remia;
p. 464. Cheshire Co., Hurd; p. 277.)

HUNNEWELL

Charles Hunnewell m. 33. Elizabeth Davis

Charles Hunnewell.

(Ambrose(1))

Son of Ambrose Hunnewell. He m. Elizabeth Davis, dau. of James and Elizabeth (Randall) Davis. She was bp. as an adult 31 Aug, 1694.

The name of Charles Hunnewell first appears on the records of Charlestown, Mass., "1698, November 17th, Charles Hunnewell of Boston and Elizabeth Davis of Charlestown, Joyned in Marriage before the Reverend Mr. Simon Bradstreet, Minister" (of Charlestown, 26 Oct, 1698 to 1741.) Twins were named in his will by Richard of Boston, 1747.

There were eight children according to the records, as follows:

#Charles, b. 10 June, 1700.

#Joseph, b. 21 Sep, 1703.

Elizabeth, b. 4 July, 1704; bp. 9 July, 1704; d. 11 Nov, 1723.

William, b. 19 Sep, 1706; bp. 29 Sep, 1706; "yeoman" in 1766; unm. (?) 1766; d. Charlestown, Mass., Aug, 1786.

Jane, b. 8 Jan, 1708/9; bp. 23 Jan, 1708/9; m. Sam. Nutting.

Patience, b. 3 Dec, 1710; bp. 10 Dec, 1710.

#Richard, b. 10 June, 1713; bp. 5 July, 1713; joiner in 1766.

Mary (twin) b. 10 June, 1713; bp. 5 July, 1713; spinster in 1766.

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 278. Hunnewell, Hunnewell.)

Charles Hunnewell.

(Charles(2), Ambrose(1))

Son of Charles and Elizabeth (Davis) Hunnewell; b. 10 June, 1700. He m. (1) Ami _____, who d. Feb, 1730; (2) Margaret Patten, 8 Nov, 1733.

Charles Hunnewell was styled "yeoman" in 1766. He succeeded to the homestead. Children by both of his marriages were bp. in the First Church, Cambridge, Mass.; those of the first marriage were bp. by the Rev. Nathan Appleton.

There were four children by the first marriage, and three by the second marriage, as follows:

Elizabeth, b. 21 Apr, 1723; bp. 5 May, 1723; dau. of "Chas. Honeywell."

Charles, b. 23 March, 1725; bp. 28 March, 1725; son of "Chas. Honeywell."

Lucy, b. 27 July, 1727; bp. 30 July, 1727; dau. of "Mr Chas. jun^r and Ami Hunnewell."

#James, b. 5 Feb, 1730/0; bp. 7 Feb, 1730/1; son of "Mr Chas. jun^r."

#William, b. 10 May, 1735.

#Richard, b. July, 1736.

Mary, b. Sep, 1734; bp. 5 Sep, 1743; dau of "C. H. Jun^r."

(Ref: Hunnewell, Hunnewell.)

Joseph Hunnewell.

(Charles(3), Ambrose(1))

Son of Charles and Elizabeth (Davis) Hunnewell; b. 31 Sep, 1703; bp. 4 Oct, 1703. He m. (1) 28 Apr, 1726, Elizabeth Crackbone "of Cambridge;" (2) 31 May, 1749, Silence Lane "of Charleston." She d. in 1762.

Joseph Hunnewell, like his older brother Charles, was styled "yeoman" in 1766. No further record.

Richard Hunnewell.

(Charles(2), Ambrose(1))

Son of Charles and Elizabeth (Davis) Hunnewell; b. 10 June, 1713; d. 1748. He m. 3 Oct, (or 26 May,) 1739, Mary Kidder. She d. 21 June, 1770.

There were four children according to the records, as follows:

Mary, bp. 22 June, 1740; probably d. in infancy.
 Mary, bp. 11 July, 1742; m. David Parker.
 Richard, bp. 23 July, 1746.
 Elizabeth, bp. 9 June, 1751.

(Ref: Hunnewell, Hunnewell.)

James Hunnewell.
 (Charles(3), Charles(3), Ambrose(1))

Son of Charles and Ami Hunnewell; b. 5 Feb, 1730/1.
 He m. 27 March, 1755, Esther Reed.

There were five children according to the records, as follows:

James, bp. 8 Oct, 1758; probably d. in infancy.
 James, b. 9 May, 1760; bp. 18 May, 1760.
 Esther, b. 17 Apr, 1764; bp. 23 Apr, 1764.
 Amee (Anne), b. 11 June, 1766; bp. 15 June, 1766.
 Phanna (Jane), b. 9 Nov, 1768; bp. 13 Nov, 1768.

(Ref: Hunnewell, Hunnewell.)

William Hunnewell.
 (Charles(3), Charles(3), Ambrose(1))

Son of Charles and Margaret (Patten) Hunnewell; b. 10 May, 1735; d. 9 Oct, 1782 "ae 47 1/2." He m. 22 June, 1758, Elizabeth Fillebrown. She d. 17 Oct, 1773 "ae 38."

William Hunnewell succeeded to the homestead and continued the family.

The records show only one child; there probably were others.

#William, b. 19 May, 1759.

Richard Hunnewell.
 (Charles(3), Charles(3), Ambrose(1))

Son of Charles and Margaret (Patten) Hunnewell; b. July, 1736; bp. 18 July, 1736. He m. 21 June, 1764, Eunice Thompson. She d. 19 Feb, 1806.

Richard Hunnewell, "son of C.H. Jun^r," moved to Cambridge, Mass. From him descended the H. H. Hunnewell Family, described by H. S. S. Ruggles:

There were nine children according to the records, all bp. in Cambridge, as follows:

Eunice, b. 19 Feb, 1765; m. Elisha Doane.

#Jonathan, b. 5 Jan, 1767.

Walter, b. 4 Aug, 1769; bp. 6 Aug, 1769.

Elizabeth, b. and bp. 6 Oct, 1771; m. Russell.

Leonard, b. 7 Dec, 1773; bp. 12 Dec, 1773; d. 3 Aug, 1843.

Martha, b. 18 Apr, 1776; bp. 31 Apr, 1776.

Charles, b. 31 May, 1778; bp. 7 June, 1778.

Ebenezer, b. 1 Aug, 1780; bp. 13 Aug, 1780.

William Crosby, b. 8 Apr, 1786; bp. 16 Apr, 1786.

(Ref: Hunnewell, Hunnewell.)

William Hunnewell.

(William(4), Charles(3), Charles(2), Ambrose(1))

Son of William and Elizabeth (Fillebrown) Hunnewell; b. 5 May, 1759; d. 22(25) Nov, 1809. He m. 25 July, 1783 (Church record); 1781 (son's Bible), Sarah Frothingham.

There were 12 children according to the records, all except the seventh having been b. in the old homestead at North Cambridge, Mass., as follows:

William, b. 28 Sep, 1783; d. 7 May, 1850.

Thomas, b. 27 June, 1785; d. June, 1863.

Joseph, b. 3 Oct, 1787; d. 29 March, 1875.

Charles, b. 29 Oct, 1789; d. 18 Apr, 1868.

Hannah F., b. 16 Jan, 1793; d. 24 Oct, 1881.

#James, b. 10 Feb, 1794.

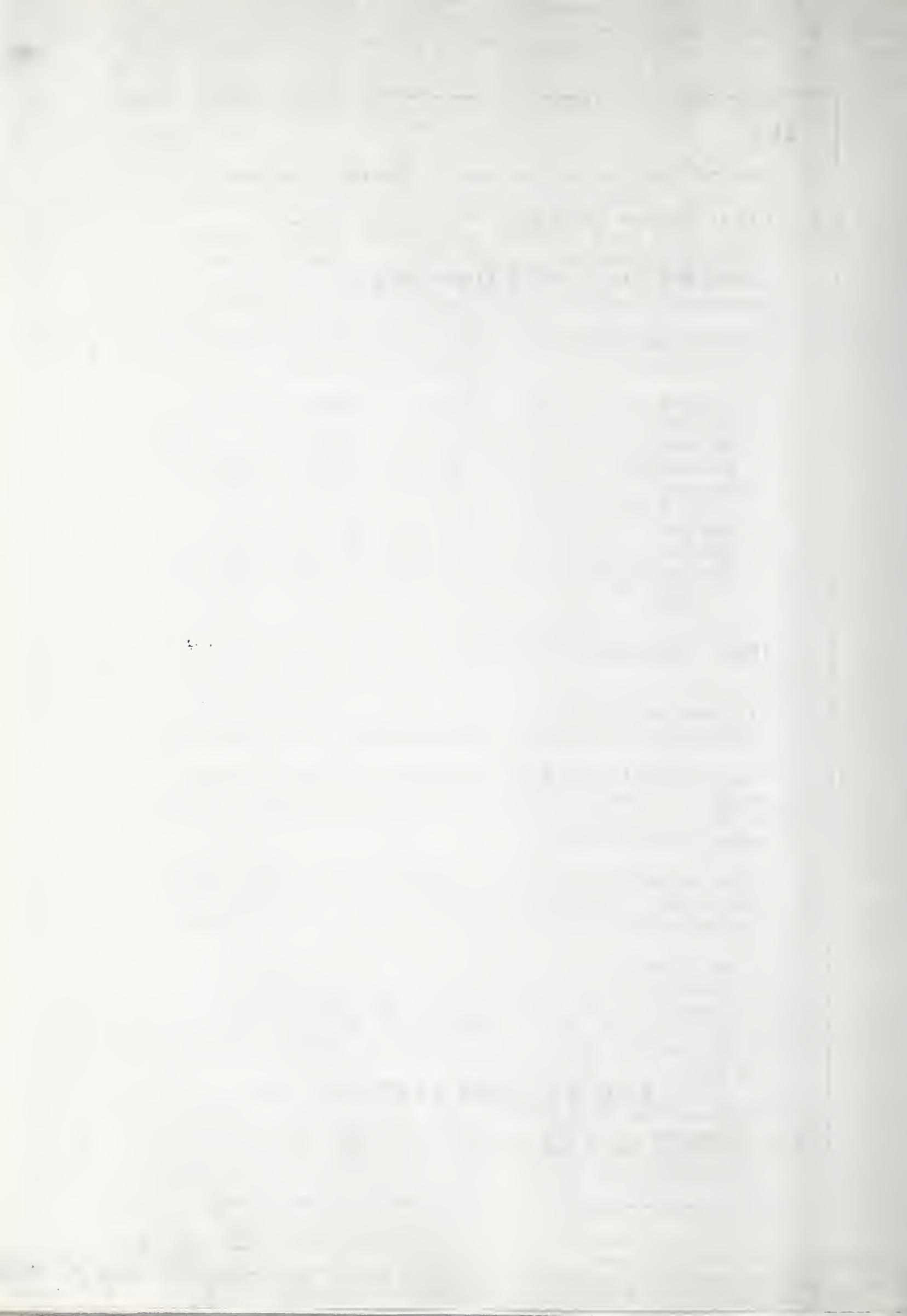
John, b. 18 Oct, 1799; d. 27 March, 1806.

#William, b. 1783.

#Thomas, b. 1785.

#Joseph, b. 1787.

#Charles, b. 1789.



Hannah Frothingham, b. 1793; m. Abel Bowman.
 (Ref: Hunnewell, Hunnewell.)

James Hunnewell.
 (William(5), William(4), Charles(3), Charles(2),
 Ambrose(1))

Son of William and Sarah (Frothingham) Hunnewell;
 b. 10 Feb, 1794. He m. 23 Sep, 1819, Susan Lamson,
 dau. of Joseph and Susanna (Frothingham) Lamson.
 She was b. at Charlestown, Mass., 3 Sep, 1793 and
 d. at Charlestown, 14 Feb, 1870.

There were two children according to the re-
 cords, as follows:

A son, b. 10 May, 1826; d. in infancy.
 #James Frothingham, b. 3 July, 1832.

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William Hunnewell.
 (William(5), William(4), Charles(3), Charles(2),
 Ambrose(1))

Son of William and Sarah (Frothingham) Hunnewell;
 b. 1783; d. 7 May, 1850. He m. 5 Apr, 1809, Nancy
 Cushing, dau. of Wareham Cushing, of Waltham, Mass.
 She d. 8 Sep, 1861.

There were four children according to the re-
 cords, as follows:

Sarah Ann, b. March, 1810; d. 17 Apr, 1883; m.
 Lewis Sage, 7 Oct, 1830.

Caroline Eliza, b. 19 June, 1813; m. Samuel T.
 Tapley.

Harriet Cushing, b. 17 June, 1816; d. 21 June,
 1861; m. George G. Rice. He lived in North
 Cambridge, Mass., 1848-1864.

Susan Maria, b. 1 June, 1820; d. 7 Jan, 1865;
 m. 18 Apr, 1839, John B. Cook. He d. 16 March,
 1891.

(Ref: Hunnewell, Hunnewell.)

Thomas Hunnewell. (William(5), William(4), Charles(3), Charles(2), Ambrose(1))

Son of William and Sarah (Frothingham) Hunnewell; b. 1785; d. June (18 July), 1863. He m. 13 June, 1811, Mary Munros, of Lexington, Mass. She d. 14 Dec., 1875.

There were seven children according to the records, as follows:

John, b. 14 June, 1813; d. 31 Dec., 1893; m. Ann Smith, 13 June, 1843. She d. 19 March, 1893.
 William, b. 10 Apr., 1814; d. 1 July, 1898; m. (1) 24 Dec., 1841, Matilda Tyler Spear. She d. 9 Apr., 1853; He m. (2) 25 Dec., 1853, Elizabeth Burrell Hobart, of Hanson. She d. 30 Dec., 1889.
 Mary, b. 17 May, 1818; d. 27 Oct., 1831.
 Thomas Frothingham, b. 16 Apr., 1820; d. 13 Sep., 1888; m. 14 June, 1848, Mary A. Dunbar, at Putney, Vt.
 Charles, b. 18 Oct., 1823; d. 9 June, 1834.
 Sarah Frothingham, b. 14 Oct., 1826; m. 8 May, 1851, Daniel Perkins.
 Nathan Munroe, b. 4 May, 1829; m. 14 May, 1851, Mary G. Jorden.

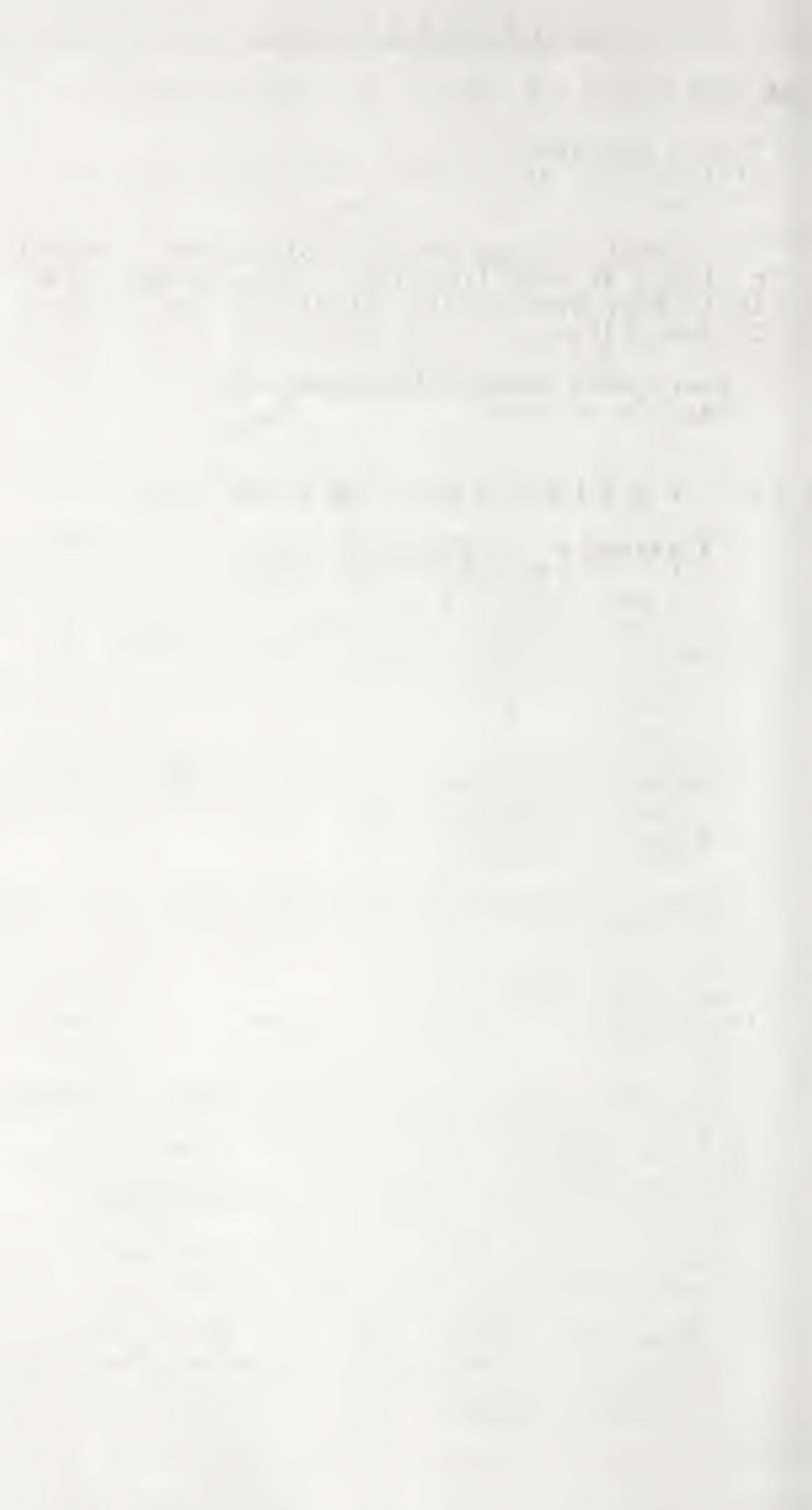
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Joseph Hunnewell. (William(5), William(4), Charles(3), Charles(2), Ambrose(1))

Son of William and Sarah (Frothingham) Hunnewell; b. 1787; d. at Brookline, Mass., 29 March, 1875. He m. (1) 10 May, 1809, Lydia H. Trueman. She d. 13 June, 1852. He m. (2) 9 June, 1853, Susan Hawkes. She was b. 6 Aug., 1816 and d. 23 Apr., 1867.

There were 11 children by the first marriage, (none by the second marriage), as follows:

Avis L. b. 9 July, 1810; d. 7 Dec., 1810.
 James, b. 17 Oct., 1818; d. Boston, Mass., 20 March, 1871; m. at Cincinnati, Ohio, about 1835, Elizabeth ____.



John Learned, b. 15 May, 1813; d. Boston, Mass., 13 Jan, 1892; m. 1835, Sarah K. Fuller. She d. at Boston, 22 Feb, 1897.

Elizabeth M., b. 15 Sep, 1815; d. 26 May, 1896; m. 3 July, 1836, Elias Crafts, Jr. She d. 23 July, 1867.

Ann, b. 13 June, 1817; d. 13 May, 1873 (1873); m. (as Anne Maria) 13 Sep, 1835, George P. Sparrell. He d. 25(?) Aug, 1884, "ae 72."

Joseph Warren, b. 12 Apr, 1819; d. 15(13?) Apr, 1873; m. 15 March, 1842, Emeline L. Sargent. She d. 1892.

Louisa, b. 3 Apr, 1821; d. 14 Feb, 1869; m. 1845, George W. Pierce. He d. 1870.

Edwin, b. 28 Feb, 1823; d. 22 March, 1878; m. 9 June, 1845, Sarah Cutter. She d. 28 Oct, 1893.

Sarah, b. 21 May, 1825; d. 3 Sep, 1826.

George, b. 26 Apr, 1827; d. 15 Oct, 1875; m. at New Orleans, 1863 or 1864; s.p.

Francis, b. 16 May, 1829; m. 8 Oct, 1856, Mary Simmons.

(Ref: Hunnewell, Hunnewell.)

Charles Hunnewell.
(William(5), William(4), Charles(3), Charles(2), Ambrose(1))

Son of William and Sarah (Frothingham) Hunnewell; b. 1789, d. 18 Apr, 1868. He m. 3 March, 1813, Ruth Hadley. She was b. 8 Dec, 1789 and d. 11 Aug, 1885.

There were six children according to the records, as follows:

Charles H., b. 28 June, 1814; m.(1) 20 Jan, 1843, Mary C. Bird. She d. 28 Sep, 1843. He m.(2) 7 Nov, 1847, Olive Pinkham.

Sarah Ann, b. 5 Oct, 1815; d. 1879; m. 20 Oct, 1836, Latimer Whipple Ballou. He was b. 1 March, 1812.

William, b. 28 Aug, 1817; d. 1896; m. 13 Jan, 1840, Catherine S. Southwick. She d. 17 Nov, 1886

Mary, b. 30 March, 1820; d. 1888; m. 15 June, 1843, Rev. Eben Francis. He d. 1893.



James Augustus, b. 10 March, 1823; m. 19 Oct, 1848, Caroline Ivera. She d. 10 Oct, 1883.
Franklin, b. 28 March, 1828; m. 3 Apr, 1856, Mary H. Titcomb.

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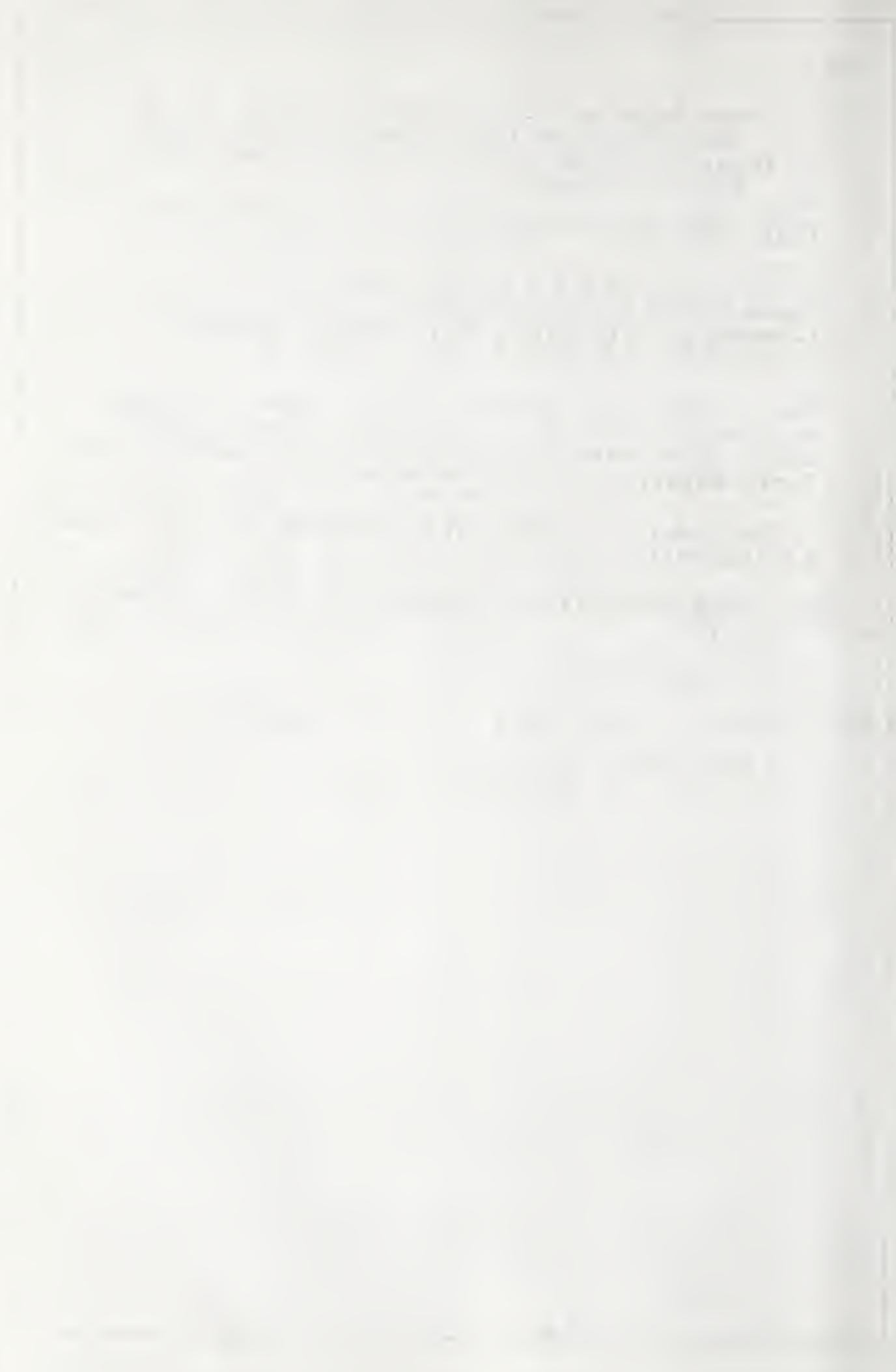
James Frothingham Hunnewell.
(James(6), William(5), William(4), Charles(3), Charles(2), Ambrose(1))

Son of James and Susanna (Frothingham) Hunnewall; b. 3 July, 1832. He m. at Boston, Mass., 3 Apr, 1872, Sarah Melville Farnsworth, dau. of Ezra and Sarah Melville (Parker) Farnsworth.

There was only one child according to the records, as follows:

James Melville, b. Charlestown, Mass., 23 May, 1879.

(Ref: Hunnewell, Hunnewell.)



SYMMES

Isaac Symmes m. 63. Hannah Davis

Zechariah Symmes.

Rev. Zechariah Symmes was b. in England; his wife was Sarah ____.

There were 13 children of which nine were b. in England. The 10th child, and the first of this family b. in America, was:

#Zechariah, b. 9 Jan, 1637/8.

(Ref: Symmes, Vinton; p. 75.)

Zechariah Symmes.

(Zechariah(1))

Son of Rev. Zechariah and Sarah Symmes; b. at Charlestown, Mass., 9 Jan, 1637/8; bp. 13 Jan, 1637/8. He m.(1) 18 Nov, 1669, Susannah Graves, dau. of Thomas Graves, of Charlestown. She was b. 8 July, 1643. He m.(2) 26 Nov, 1683, Mehitable (Palmer) Dalton.

There were seven children by the first marriage, of which the fifth was:

#Thomas, b. 1 Feb, 1677/8.

(Ref: Symmes, Vinton; p. 75.)

Thomas Symmes.

(Zechariah(2), Zechariah(1))

Son of Rev. Zechariah and Susannah (Graves) Symmes; b. 1 Feb, 1677/8. He m.(1) Elizabeth Blowers, of Cambridge, Mass., sister of Rev. Thomas Blowers, of Beverly, Mass. He m.(2) Hannah Pike.

There were seven children by the first marriage, of which the sixth was:

#Zechariah, b. 15 July, 1713.

(Ref: Symmes, Vinton; p. 75.)

Zechariah Symmes.

(Thomas(3), Zechariah(2), Zechariah(1))

Son of Thomas and Elizabeth (Blowers) Symmes; b. at Bradford, Mass., 15 July, 1735. He m.(1) Grace Parker, eldest dau. of Isaac and Grace (Hall) Parker, of Charlestown, Mass. She was b. 31 June, 1716.

During many years he kept the "Cape Breton Tavern" in Charlestown.

He m.(2) Elizabeth Looke, by whom he had five Children.

There were four children by the first marriage, of which the fourth was:

#Isaac, b. 10 Apr, 1743.

(Ref: Symmes, Vinton; p. 75.)

Isaac Symmes.

(Zechariah(4), Thomas(3), Zechariah(2), Zechariah(1))

Son of Zechariah and Grace (Parker) Symmes; b. at Charlestown, Mass., 10 Apr, 1743; d. at 11 o'clock, a.m., 27 Aug, 1791. He m.(1) 63. Hannah Davis, 20 March, 1765, dau. of Zechariah and Hannah (Brasier) Davis. He m.(2) 15 Dec, 1774, Hannah _____. She was b. 5 Feb, 1749 and d. 13 Dec, 1783. He m.(3) 24 Oct, 1784, Joanna _____. She was b. 30 Aug, 1754.

Isaac Symmes was a baker and was one of the selectmen of Charlestown, Mass; he also lived in Plymouth, Mass. His death was caused by a fall from a horse.

There were six children by the first marriage according to the records, as follows:

Hannah, b. 30 Jan, 1766. She was beautiful and

attractive in person; she was engaged to be m., but was disappointed and d. in consequence while yet young.

Isaac, b. 6 June, 1767; d. 1767.

Grace, b. 24 Aug., 1768.

Martha, b. 6 May, 1770; d. 23 Jan, 1859.

#Isaac, b. 16 Nov, 1771.

Elizabeth, b. 16 Sep., 1773; d. 3 May, 1803.

(There were five children by the second marriage, and three children by the third marriage.)

(Ref: Symmes, Vinton; p. 75.)

Isaac Symmes.

(Isaac(5), Zechariah(4), Thomas(3), Zechariah(2), Zechariah(1))

Son of Isaac and Hannah (Davis) Symmes; b. at Plymouth, Mass., 16 Nov, 1771. He m. 1 Jan, 1798, Mary Whitman. She was b. 19 Aug, 1778.

Isaac Symmes is supposed to have lived in Plymouth, Mass., and possibly in Kingston, an adjoining town.

There were six children according to the records, as follows:

Isaac, b. 27 Sep, 1798.

Hannah, b. 6 May, 1801.

#William, b. 19 Aug, 1802.

Mary Whitman, b. 29 Oct, 1805; m. Alden Sampson.

Martha, b. 12 Jan, 1809.

Daniel, b. Nov, 1820; m. Selina A. Weston.

(Ref: Symmes, Vinton; p. 75.)

William Symmes.

(Isaac(6), Isaac(5), Zechariah(4), Thomas(3), Zechariah(2), Zechariah(1))

Son of Isaac and Mary (Whitman) Symmes; b. 19 Aug, 1802. He m. (1) 4 March, 1832, Mary D. Washburn. She was b. 17 Aug, 1805 and d. 7 Feb, 1837. He

m. (3) 27 Nov, 1841, Caroline H. Jameson. She was b. 16 July, 1816.

Isaac Symmes lived at Kingston, Mass. He was a Ship-master and is said to have been a skillful navigator.

There was one child by the first marriage, and five children by the second marriage, as follows:

William Whitman, b. 7 Feb, 1834; d. 1 July, 1857.

Carrie Francis, b. 23 Aug, 1842.

John Jameson, b. 9 May, 1844.

Frank Jameson, b. 7 June, 1847; graduate of Scientific School at Cambridge; in 1866, he was acting assistant engineer in the U.S. Navy.

Alexander Beal, b. 27 June, 1849; d. 26 Sep, 1849.

Mary Whitman, b. 17 Oct, 1859; d. 5 Apr, 1860.

(Ref: Symmes, Vinton; p. 75.)

HOLDEN

John Holden m. 39. Hannah Davis

Richard Holden;

Richard Holden was b. of Lindsey, county Suffolk, England, in 1609; d. at Groton, Mass., 1 March, 1695/6. He m. Martha Foadick, dau. of Stephen Foadick, of Charlestown, Mass. She was b. in England in 1630 and d. at Watertown, Mass., (in-
testate.) 6 Dec, 1681.

There were 11 children according to the records, of which the first was:

#Stephen, b. 1658 or 1659

(Ref: Holden, Putnam; pp. 47-51.)

Stephen Holden.
(Richard (1))

Son of Richard and Martha (Foadick) Holden; b. 1658 or 1659; d. at Groton, Mass.; 1715. He m. 1685(?) Hannah Lawrence, dau. of Dea. Nathaniel and Sarah (Morse) Lawrence, Dea. Lawrence as of Groton, Mass., and later of Charlestown. Hannah Lawrence was b. 3 July, 1664 and d. 1735(?).

There were 15 children according to the records, of which the second was:

#John, b. 1685(?)

(Ref: Holden, Putnam; pp. 77-85)

John Holden.
(Stephen(2), Richard(1))

Son of Stephen and Hannah (Lawrence) Holden; b. at Groton, Mass., 1685(?) d. 27 Dec, 1753, in 69th

year (g.s.). He m. 23 Nov, 1716, 39. Sarah Davis, dau. of John and Mehitable (Shedd) Davis. She was b. 23 Sep, 1694 and d. at Groton, Mass., 21 Dec, 1753, in 59th year (g.s.).

John Holden and his wife, Eleazer Nutting and Abigail his wife, Benjamin Farnsworth, Jr., and Patience his wife, all of Groton, Mass., children of John Davis, deceased, conveyed 26 acres in Groton to John Pratt, 15 Nov, 1731, "late of Malden, now of Groton," for 13 pounds and security given for maintenance of their mother Mehitable Davis of Groton, set off to her as part of her dower. In another deed the same parties, with Lydia Davis, spinster, 3 Sep, 1737, conveyed land laid out to the ancient right of Samuel Davis.

John Holden was held captive by the Indians in Canada for one year and 10 months. He served in the campaign against the Indians in 1734, under Captain William Tyng, as we learn from the petition of his son Caleb to the General Court in 1773, setting forth the above fact, and that John Holden was subsequently entitled to one right in the township granted Tyng's command, which township, upon establishment of the line between Massachusetts and New Hampshire, fell in the latter province and was lost to the grantees. Caleb was then of Deerfield, and named as other heirs Amos, Isaiah, Nehemiah and David Holden, Sarah Hartwell, Rachel Gould and Hannah Blood. The General Court of Resolve 25 June, 1773, granted these heirs 400 acres to be laid out in any of the unappropriated lands of the province. 181 acres were laid out to them at the northwest corner of grants to Ross and Hezekiah Wyman, and 40 acres in Charmont, bounded easterly on the river. Approval of the plat of the remaining 237 acres was withheld until further action of the General Court.

John Holden was a farmer in Groton, Mass. Town and probate records, and his g.s., describe him as lieutenant. He conveyed to Captain Jonas Prescott, 30 Oct, 1723, all right in land laid out by a committee of proprietors 7 Dec, 1721, to a 14½-acre right, 10 acres of which right was originally Christopher Hall's, and the remaining four and one-half acres was part of the right of Richard Holden.

John Holden, describing himself as "of Groton,"

gentleman," made his will 25 Dec., 1753, which was probated 11 March, 1754. He nominated his son, Amos Holden, executor, and gave to his two sons, Isaiah and Davis, his homestead between them, and all the buildings between it and the lands now claimed by Captain Samuel Tarbell and Lieutenant Eleazer Green, and a town-way going over the River bridge, also six acres of orchard and plow land, and to each a three-acre common right. Isaiah to pay his sisters Sarah Hartwell and Rachel, £ 6-3-4 each; David, described as "youngest son," one year after he is of age, to pay his sisters, Lois Holden and Hannah Blood, £ 6-13-4 each. To his son Nehemiah Holden all lands not disposed of to sons Caleb and Amos on the west side of Squannacook river, about 100 acres. Nehemiah to pay Sarah Hartwell and daughter Rachel, and Hannah Blood, each £ 6-18-3. To eldest son Caleb a two and one-half-acre right which with what he had had was his portion. To son Amos one red cow and a three-acre right, which with what he had had was his portion. To daughter Sarah Hartwell, 16 acres by little Cold Spring. Stephen Holden was one of the witnesses.

The inventory of "Lt. John Holden" disclosed real estate, £ 333; personal, £ 77. The account of his executor contains payment of items pertaining to the burial of both John Holden and his widow, and the procuring of a double gravestone, which is still standing, one of the quaint characteristic memorials of the period. It also mentions Jonathan Holden "brother of the deceased." David Holden, ae 14 years, chose Amos Laurance of Groton his guardian, 5 July, 1755.

All of the children mentioned below, except John and Lois, joined in a deed 22 Apr., 1760, conveying 12 acres on the west side of Lancaster river.

There were 10 children according to the records, all b. in Groton, Mass., as follows:

Sara, b. 5 Sep., 1717; m. Samuel Hartwell.
 John, b. 15 Oct., 1719; d. in lifetime of his father, unm. Probably the John Holden of Groton who enlisted 15 Apr., 1743, and served to 17 Oct., in company commanded by Captain Edward Hartwell; raised in Townsend, Lunenburg, Narragansett No. 2 and Leominster.

Rachel, b. 13 March, 1723; unm. 1753; widow of
 Gould in 1760; of Shirley, Mass.
 #Caleb, b. 1st Feb, 1723/4.
 #Amos, b. 16 June, 1726.
 #Isaiah, b. 10 Aug, 1728.
 #Nehemiah, b. 13 March, 1731.
 Lois, b. 3 March, 1732; bp. 1st Sep, 1733; d. young.
 Hannah, b. 24 June, 1735; m. Caleb Blood.
 #David, b. 16 Dec, 1738.

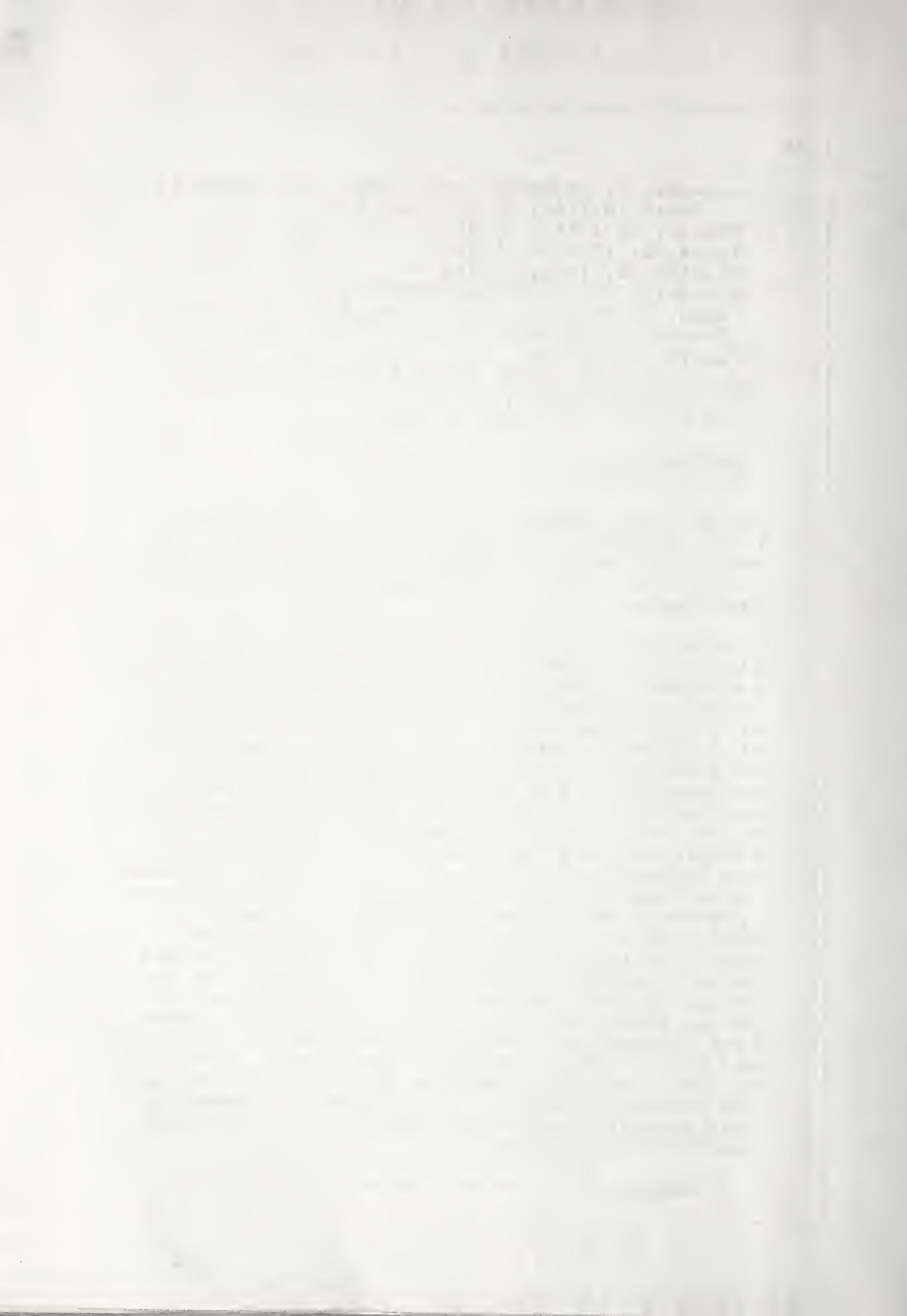
(Ref: Holden, Putnam; p. 112.)

Caleb Holden.
 (John(3), Stephen(3), Richard(1))

Son of John and Sarah (Davis); b. at Groton, Mass.,
 1 Feb, 1723/4; d. at Shelburne, Mass., later than
 May, 1795. He m.(1) Abigail _____, who was living
 in 1761. He m.(2), at Deerfield, Mass., 14 Sep, 1766,
 Mary Farley.

Caleb Holden lived in that part of Groton, Mass.,
 set off as Shirley, but in the warning by Deerfield
 selectmen, 13 Dec, 1766 (1765), he is described as
 "lately an inhabitant of Pepperell." In the record
 of a deed dated 13 Oct, 1760, in which he and his
 wife, Abigail, join in conveying to Nehemiah Holden
 58 acres in Shirley, with a small dwelling house on
 the property, he is described as of North No. 2,
 New Hampshire. It is quite possible that "New Hamp-
 shire" is a mistake for Hampshire county, in which
 Colrain was known as Boston No. 3. "North No. 2"
 was Westmoreland, N.H., which in 1753 was regranted
 by New Hampshire as Great Meadowa. In 1769, he again
 appears as selling land in Shirley, and again is
 described as "of No. 2 N.H.," but at that date he
 was undoubtedly a resident of Shelburne, which was
 formerly a part of Deerfield, for he that year ob-
 tained judgment against John Gilson of Sunderland
 for an unpaid note dated 1 Dec, 1769. In the same
 year judgment was had against him, as also in 1784
 and 1794, in all of which proceedings he is called
 of Shelburne. The records of Westmoreland, and also
 the Provincial papers of New Hampshire concerning
 that township, are silent concerning the residence
 there of Caleb Holden.

In August, 1773, he was accused of having slain



a deer, but the witness for the government, Timothy Farley, failed to appear, and the case was continued, only to be dropped as both he and all witnesses defaulted at the next term of Court.

In June, 1773, on petition of Caleb Holden of Deerfield, the General Court granted to the heirs of John Holden land in or adjoining Colrain, as equivalent land for a grant to the soldiers who served under Colonel Tyng, of whom John, the father of Caleb, was one. This petition and grant, even if no other evidence were available, establishes Caleb's place in the family. Four hundred acres were granted but it appears that 237 acres were not then laid out, being withheld until further order of the General Court.

In February, 1786, Caleb Holden is described as of "North River, Hampshire County," when he conveyed to David Field 131 acres in Buckland, apparently as security, as in Jan, 1794, Samuel Field, executor of David, sued Caleb Holden on a note for \$ 45, dated 11 Feb, 1786, the date of the deed. On 11 May, 1787, described as of "the Gore of land, adjoining Shelburne and Colrain," he sold to Edward Giles of Charlemont all his interest in the grant of land by the General Court, June, 1773, to heirs of "my father John Holden;" and Giles, 4 Oct, 1795, conveyed this same interest to Elihu Holden of Buckland. This may have been after the death of Caleb, who was probably living in May, 1795, when his son Caleb is described as "Junior."

In 1790, Caleb Holden was enumerated at Shelburne as head of a family consisting of three males over 16 years of age, three under 16, and one female. There is no settlement of his estate.

Family tradition, recorded by Dr. H. H. Holden, asserted that Caleb Holden died in the Revolutionary period, leaving a family of seven orphans who were adopted by relatives and friends in the neighborhood, at Ballston Spa and Galway, N.Y. It was also asserted that John was killed in the war and never married.

Mary (Farley) Holden was warned by Deerfield selectmen 4 Sep, 1766, and was described as "an inhabitant of Medford."



Amos Holden.
(John(3), Stephen(2), Richard(1))

Son of John and Sarah (Davis) Holden; b. at Groton, Mass., 18 June, 1728; d. at Shirley, Mass., 28 March, 1804. He m. (1) at Groton, Mass., 6 Feb, 1750/1, Prudence Holden, dau. of Nathaniel and Abigail (Stone) Holden. She was b. at Groton, Mass., 26 Apr, 1730, and d. at Shirley, Mass., 21 Nov, 1762. He m. (2), Sarah Blood, who d. in 1800.

"Amos Holden of Shirley, and Prudence his wife, Jabez Holden, Asa Holden of Groton, Jonathan Sawtell and Mary his wife, and Seth Walker and Abigail his wife, sell to Isaac Holden of Groton, yeoman, five out of seven shares in house, land, etc, set off to our other Abigail Holden of Groton, deceased, it being her part of the estate of her husband Nathaniel Holden," 10 Nov, 1757.

In the early autumn of 1746, the Duke d'Anville, in command of a French fleet, threatened Boston, and the militia from the country to the number of 8,000 men were summoned for the defense of the capital. The Groton company, commanded by Captain William Lawrence, responded, and in its ranks was Amos Holden.

In the Groton company commanded by Captain Henry Haskell, Prescott's regiment, which responded to the Lexington Alarm, 19 Apr, 1775, were Amos Holden and his son Amos. The elder man served seven days, but the younger enlisted in the army, as did his brothers Abel and John.

As executor of the estate of John Holden, Amos sold, 10 Apr, 1759, "11 acres on the west side of Lancaster river, formerly laid out to Richard Holden, bounded north by Timothy Cooper, east by the river."

On 22 Apr, 1760, he joined with his brothers Caleb, David, Isaiah and Nehemiah, and his sisters with their husbands, in conveying 13 acres on the west side of the river.

In 1784, Amos Holden gave a promissory note to Nathaniel Hayward, which passed into the hands of Abraham Adams of Boston, who obtained Judgment against the maker. In Apr, 1789, Amos Holden leased his farm

in Shirley for three years to his son John, who had his own stock on the place. In Dec, 1790, Joseph Moors, Esq., of Groton, acting for Adams, replevined a cow, hog, etc., which proved to be property of John Holden, who thereupon brought suit against the Moors. The case was finally carried to the Supreme Court and decided in John Holden's favor, who produced ample testimony to prove his good faith in the premises, that he had purchased his animals from various parties and had paid taxes on the land. The case was not settled until 1793.

His home was on the east side of the Townsend road, north of Mulpus Brook, and here, in the house which was standing until about 1856, 16 of his children were b., all, it is said, in the same room. Amos Holden, Jr., 1 Oct, 1790, "then of Mason, N.H.," conveyed to his brother Abel his right in the land and house occupied by his father, which was part of his mother's estate and was undivided among the heirs. Moses Holden succeeded to the ownership of the place. This was later the Amos Day farm.

In 1790, Amos Holden was enumerated as the head of a family consisting of himself, one other male over 16, three males under 16, and five females.

There were 16 children according to the records: five children by the first marriage and 11 children by the second marriage, all b. in Shirley, Mass., as follows:

#Amos, b. 21 Sep, 1752.

Nathaniel, b. 13 Jan, 1755; d. 10 March, 1755; g.s. at Shirley, Mass.

Prudence, b. 9 March, 1756; m. David Sloan, who was b. 1760. In 1790, they were of Lyndborough, N.H., when they joined in conveying their interest in her mother's estate in Lunenberg. He served in the army during the American Revolution.

#Abel, b. 26 Feb, 1758.

Lydia, b. 18 Apr, 1761; m. Moses Sanderson. In 1792, they were on Shrewsbury, Vt., when they sold their interest in her mother's estate in Shirley, Mass.

#John, b. 21 May, 1765.

Sarah, b. 10 Sep, 1767; d. 1849, ae 81; m. (int 8 Jan, 1793), Nathan Pierce, of Putney, Vt.

Funice, b. 13 Aug. 1770; d. at 44; m. at Shirley, Mass., 5 March, 1789, Francis Harris, Jr., who was b. 21 June, 1764; and who d. 16 Feb. 1837.

He was s. of Francis and Susannah Harris.

Elizabeth, b. 23 Aug. 1772; living at age 66; unm. in 1793.

Moses, b. 6 June, 1773; d. at 85; m. (int. 13 Nov., 1806) at Shirley, Mass., Priscilla Stearns of Waltham, Mass.

Thomas, b. 30 Apr. 1778.

Joel, b. 18 March, 1780.

Sewall, b. 19 Feb. 1783; d. at sea.

Hannah, b. 23 March, 1786, d. at 61; m. in Boston, Mass., 13 Feb. 1806, Seth Blanchard; who became a Shaker and deserted his wife; see m. (3) B. Winchester.

Moody, b. 5 Nov., 1789; d. at sea.

(Ref: Holden, Putnam, pp. 166-70)

Leah Holden

(John(3), Stephen(2), Richard(1))

Son of John and Sarah (Davis) Holden; b. at Groton, Mass., 10 Aug. 1738; d. at Groton, Mass., Nov. 1811, at 82. He m. at Groton, Mass., 23 Dec., 1762, Elizabeth (Betty) Shed, widow of Samuel Shed by whom he had no children.

In 1790, he was enumerated at Groton, having a family consisting of self, one other male over 18 years, and one female. There is no settlement of his estate. On 23 June, 1757, he conveyed to Amot Holden, his brother, of Shirley, 80 acres of land in Groton with half the dwelling and barn, and half of three acres near the house.

There were four children according to the records, all b. in Groton, Mass., as follows:

Betty, b. 23 Sep., 1763; bp. 26 Feb., 1764.

Edmund, b. 19 Oct., 1765; bp. 14 Oct. 1770. He is probably the Edmund Holden "as 16 years, five feet, two inches in height, light complexion and hair, and dark eyes," who enlisted 30 March, 1781 for three years, "to the credit of Groton." Edmund, s. of Asa, was of the same age. Edmund Holden was drafted by the State from the militia

of Shirley, for the defense of the Court at Worcester, 16 Jan, 1787, during Shay's Rebellion, may be this man:

Oliver, b. 3 Dec, 1767; bp. 14 Oct, 1770; d. at Groton, Mass., Dec, 1833; unm. Joseph Morse of Groton was appointed his guardian 21 May, 1807.

Jonathan, b. 24 Oct, 1768; bp. 14 Oct, 1770.

(Ref: Holden, Putnam; p. 169.)

Nehemiah Holden
(John(3), Stephen(3), Richard(1))

Son of John and Sarah (Davis) Holden; b. at Groton, Mass., 12 March, 1731; d. at Woburn, Mass., at J. Buckman's, 1803, ae 80. He m. Elizabeth _____ who d. Nov, 1803, ae 76.

The Census of 1790 shows Nehemiah Holden at Charlestown with self and one female composing his family. (For further information, see Holden, Putnam; pp. 170-72.)

There were six children according to the records; all except the first child were b. at Shirley, Mass., as follows:

Elizabeth Mary, b. at Louisburg, N. S., 1 Dec, 1758; d. at Thetford, Vt., 3 March, 1813; m. 18 June, 1781; Levi Lawrence. He was b. 14 Aug, 1759; d. at Thetford, Vt., 24 July, 1831. He was s. of Jonathan and Esther (Shedd) Lawrence, a deacon and lay reader in the Baptist communion, and served three years in the army during the Revolution.

#Richard Stevens, b. 14 Apr, 1761.

#Nehemiah, b. 16 July, 1763.

#Oliver, b. 18 Sep, 1765.

Miriam Whitney, b. 20 Jan, 1771; d. 4 Aug, 1775; g.s. at Shirley, Mass.

#Daniel, b. 28 Oct, 1771.

(Ref: Holden, Putnam; p. 169.)

David Holden
(John(3), Stephen(3), Richard(1))

Son of John and Sarah (Davis) Holden; b. at Groton,

Mass., 16 Dec., 1738; d. at Hollis, N.H., 8 Aug., 1803. He m. 13 July, 1761, Sarah Hemenway, dau. of Rev. Phineas Hemenway; pastor of the church at Townsend, Mass., (a graduate of Harvard College) and his wife Sarah Stevens. She was b. 31 Oct., 1739; d. 7 Apr., 1830. (For life of David Holden, see Holden, Putnam, pp. 174-76.)

There were nine children according to the records, b. at Townsend, Mass., and at Hollis, N.H., as follows:

David, b. 28 June, 1763; d. 12 July, 1763.

Sarah, b. 17 Dec., 1764; d. 10 June, 1835; m. at Hollis, N.H., 20 July, 1787, Lieut. Benjamin Cummings, of Brookline, N.H. He was s. of Samuel Cummings, and had previously m. He was b. 25 Nov., 1757; d. 8 March, 1804.

Betsey, b. 18 Sep., 1766; d. 16 Nov., 1842; m. 3 June, 1787, David Hale, of Hollis, N.H., s. of Col. John and Elizabeth Hale.

#David W., b. 31 July, 1768 (1769).

#Phineas Hemenway, b. 8 May, 1772.

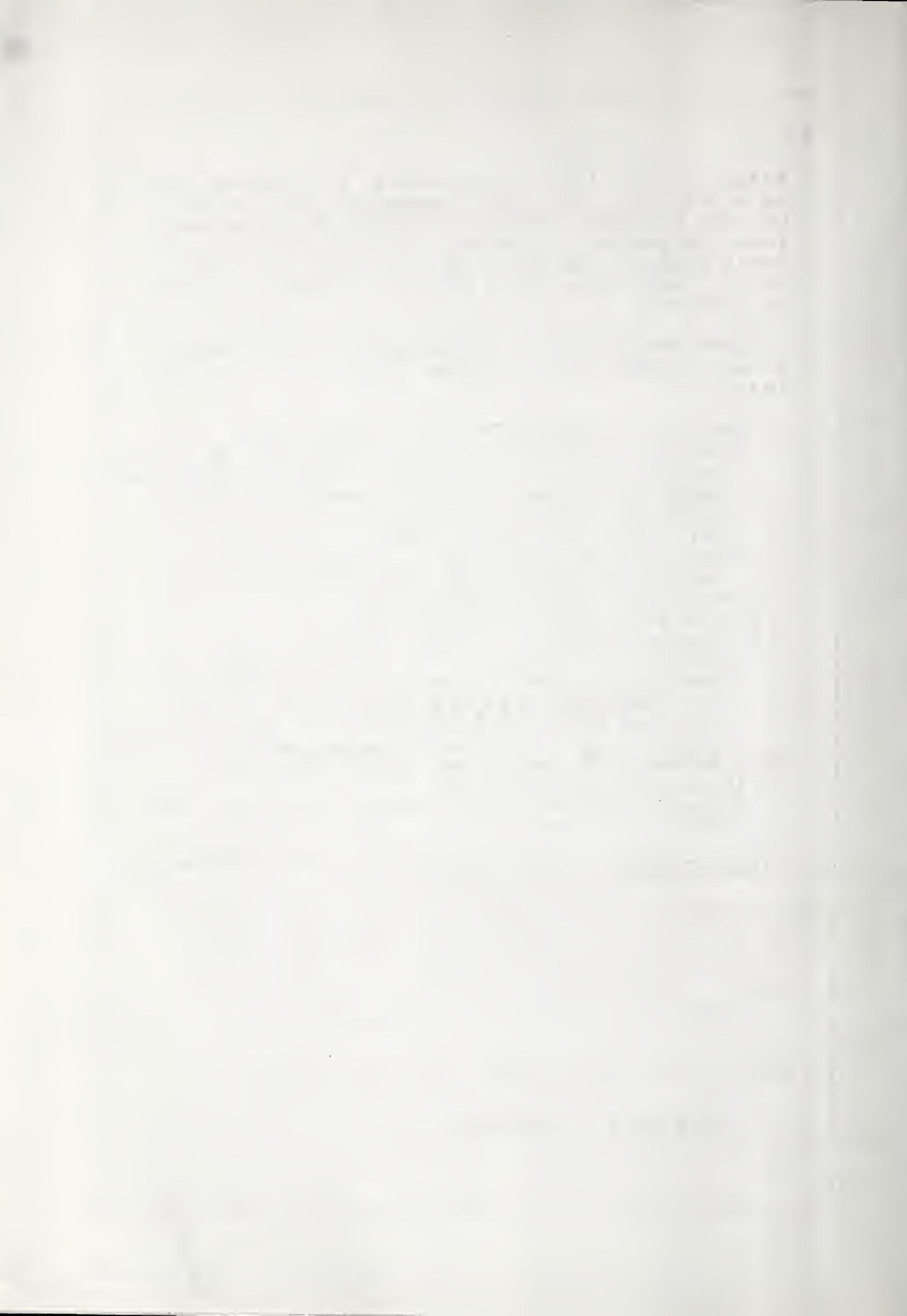
Lavinia, b. 30 June, 1774; d. 17 Nov., 1836; m. 13 March, 1800, Andrew Bunton, Jr., of Penroke, N.H., who was b. at Allenstown, N.H., 28 Apr., 1776 and who d. at Goffstown, N.H., 14 Jan., 1832. He was s. of Andrew Bunton, who was killed 28 Oct., 1776, at the Battle of White Plains.

#Artemas, b. 13 Sep., 1776.

Sylvanus, b. 3 Apr., 1781; lost at sea 5 Feb., 1811.

#Joshua, b. 3 Apr., 1781

(Ref: Holden, Putnam; p. 173.)



RAND-1

Richard Rand m. 45. Mary Davis

Richard Rand
(John(1))

Son of John and Mehstabel (Call) Rand; b. 29 Nov. 1714, bp. 31 Nov. 1714; m. 16 June, 1736 45. Mary Davis, dau. of 21. Zechariah and Mildred (Brigden) Davis. She was bp. 33 June, 1717.

Richard Rand was a carter. He was taxed in Charlestown, Mass., in 1736, 1737, 1741 and 1744; he was administrator to his widow 1 Sep. 1748.

There were four children according to the records, as follows:

Mary, bp. 10 Apr. 1737; buried 5 Aug. 1809. She was a school mistress and lived with Betty Newell in Cow Lane.

Mehstabel, bp. 10 Dec. 1738.

Mildred, bp. 29 Nov. 1741; d. 16 Feb. 1816. She was published to Jonas Eaton and banne forbidden; she taught school in Princeton, where she lived with Gov. Moses Gill, a relative.

Richard, bp. 15 Jan. 1743.

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 789; Rand, Rand; p. 277)

Richard Rand.
(Richard(2); John(1))

Son of Richard Rand 45. Mary (Davis) Rand; bp. 15 Jan. 1743; d. 27 July, 1803; he m. 20 Apr. 1768, Relief Sawyer, dau. of Abner and Mary (Milder) Sawyer. She was o. at Sterling, Meas., 30 Dec. 1747 and d. 31 July, 1814.

Richard Rand removed from Westfield, Vt., to Wardoboro, Vt., in Feb. 1801.

There were seven children according to the records, as follows:

#Luke Sawyer, b. 30 March, 1769.
 #Thomas Davis, b. 25 Jan, 1772.
 Mary, b. 8 Apr, 1774; d. at Newport, Vt., 9 March, 1818; m. Aaron Hall.
 #Richard, b. 1 May, 1776.
 Relief, b. 29 Oct, 1781; d. 30 Aug, 1814; m. Thomas Barber, who d. 9 May, 1843.
 Mildred, b. 8 June 1788; d. at Townshend, Vt., 17 Feb, 1835; m. Eber M. Barber, who d. about 1859.
 Prudence, b. at Newfane, Vt., 19 Jan, 1793; d. at Sweetsborough, Canada East, 3 Apr, 1866; m. Stephen Bouker, who d. 1790.

(Ref: Rand, Rand; p. 44.)

Luke Sawyer Rand
 (Richard(3), Richard(2), John(1))

Son of Richard and Relief (Sawyer) Rand; b. at Sterling, Mass., 30 March, 1769; d. 18 Dec, 1854. He m. 31 July, 1794, Abigail Devenport. She was b. at Petersham, Mass., 17 Dec, 1773 and d. 13 Dec, 1843.

Luke Sawyer Rand lived in Townshend, Vt., He built the stone piers for the original bridge over Merrimac River at Bradley's Ferry, and rebuilt the locks at the foot of the canal, near Concord River, Lowell, Mass., in 1822-23 - a work requiring skill and experience.

There were 10 children according to the records, as follows:

#Denzel Davis, b. 30 May, 1795.
 Richard, b. 9 May, 1797; d. at Wardsborough, Vt., 18 May, 1797.
 #Chester, b. 26 March, 1798.
 Abigail, b. 16 June, 1800; b. 17 May, 1879; m. 26 Apr, 1820, Gen. Daniel Reed, who was b. 29 Feb, 1798.
 Mary, b. 29 July, 1802; d. 6 March, 1886; m. 18 March, 1834, Ward Wilkinson, who was b. at Townshend, Vt., 6 Aug, 1799.
 Luke Sawyer, b. 30 Aug, 1804; d. 10 July, 1811.
 Lucinda, b. at Townshend, Vt., 27 Dec, 1806.
 Roxana, b. at Wardsborough, Vt., 22 March, 1809; d. March, 1890; m. 18 Dec, 1844, Rev. George Goodyear, who was b. in Hamden, Conn., 9 Dec, 1801.
 #Richard Ransom, b. 14 Aug, 1811.

Amanda Mildred, b. 28 Feb, 1814; d. at Newton Highlands, 16 Nov, 1890; m. 6 July, 1808, George W. Ware, who was b. 6 July, 1808. They celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

(Ref: Rand, Rand; p. 70.)

Thomas Davis Rand
(Richard(3), Richard(3), John(1))

Son of Richard and Relief (Sawyer) Rand; b. 5 Jan, 1772; d. at Townshend, Vt., 6 May, 1843. He m. Sophrona Brown.

There were three children according to the records, as follows:

#Davis, b. 1798.

Louisa, b. 4 Sep, 1801; m. Joseph Crosby, who was b. 14 Aug, 1798 and who d. 29 May, 1821.

#Josiah, b. 1803.

(Ref: Rand, Rand; p. 70.)

Richard Rand
(Richard(3), Richard(2), John(1))

Son of Richard and Relief (Sawyer) Rand; b. 1 May, 1776, d. at Jamaica, Vt., 13 Sep, 1814. He m. 29 Oct, 1802, Saviah (or Suviah) Chase. She was b. 26 Feb, 1779 and d. at Townshend, Vt., in 1841.

There were six children according to the records, as follows:

#Richard Lincoln, b. 9 June, 1803.

#Abner Sawyer, b. 30 Sep, 1804.

#Ezekiel, b. 22 Sep, 1806.

Sophia, b. at Jamaica, Vt., 16 Nov, 1808; d. at Troy, N.Y., 2 Apr, 1835.

Alice Davis, b. at Jamaica, Vt., 9 Oct, 1810; d. at Wardsborough, Vt., 2 May, 1824(1827).

#Stephen Chase, b. 3 Sep, 1813.

(Ref: Rand, Rand; p. 71.)

Denzel Davis Rand
 Luke Sawyer(4), Richard(3), Richard(2), John(1))

Son of Luke Sawyer and Abigail (Devenport) Rand; b. 30 May, 1795. He m. 24 Nov, 1819, Polly Cook. She was b. 9 March, 1797. They celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

There were seven children according to the records, as follows:

#Luke Philetus, b. 2 Feb, 1822.

Laurinda Polly, b. at Townshend, Vt., 25 March, 1823; m. 23 Sep, 1847, George B. Smith.

Elzira Rozana, b. at Townshend, Vt., 11 Dec, 1824; d. 12 Aug, 1845.

#Theodore Cyrus, b. 25 March, 1826.

Martha Ann, b. at Townshend, Vt., 23 March, 1831; d. 23 Aug, 1835.

Martha Amanda, b. 1836; m. 28 Apr, 1858, Edson Muzzy.

#William Ransom, b. 29 July, 1839.

(Ref: Rand, Rand; p. 98.)

Chester Rand

(Luke Sawyer(4), Richard(3), Richard(2), John(1))

Son of Luke Sawyer and Abigail (Devenport) Rand; b. 26 March, 1798. He m. 16 July, 1817, Patty Osgood. They celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

There were seven children according to the records, as follows:

Martha Rozellah, b. at Townshend, Vt., 13 Apr, 1818; d. Aug, 1831.

Abigail Luzellah, b. at Townshend, Vt., 25 Apr, 1820; d. 25 May, 1832.

#Stanford Holbrook, b. 18 Dec, 1825.

Isadore Amanda, b. 6 Apr, 1831; m. Joseph Franklin Sawyer.

Albert Sawyer, b. 1 Jan, 1834.

Nornam Hulland, b. 16 March, 1837; m. Fanny N. Smith.

Ransom Walker, b. 10 Dec, 1842; m. Mary Augusta Crain; They had one child: Elmer Albert Rand.

(Ref: Rand, Rand; p. 99.)

Richard Ransom Rand
(Luke Sawyer(4), Richard(3), Richard(2), John(1))

Son of Luke Sawyer and Abigail (Devenport) Rand; b. 14 Aug, 1811; d. at Derry, N.H., 4 Jan, 1886. He m. (1) 29 Oct, 1834, Betsey Orinda Walker. She was b. 28 Feb, 1813 and d. 19 Feb, 1842. He m. (2) 25 May, 1843, Caroline Virginia Yale. She was b. at Meriden Conn., 5 June, 1826 and d. at Derry, N.H., 26 Jan, 1884.

There were three children by the first marriage and four children by the second marriage, all b. in Boston, Mass., as follows:

Julia Clarinda, b. 16 July, 1837; d. 2 Oct, 1837.

Isabel Clarinda, b. 7 Jan, 1840; d. 22 Dec, 1841.

Hennetta, b. 17 June, 1841; d. 15 March, 1843.

Edwin Richard, b. 20 Oct, 1844; m. at Newton, Mass., 1 June, 1876, Minnie L. Woodward, who was b. 17 June, 1843.

Ella Caroline, b. 18 Nov, 1847.

Henry Yale, b. 16 June, 1849; m. 19 Nov, 1873,

Emeline H. Carleton, who d. at Germantown, Penna., 18 Apr, 1878. They had one son: Richard H. He was b. at Chicago, Ill., 13 June, 1875.

Frederick William, b. 11 Jan, 1857; d. 26 May, 1860.

(Ref: Rand, Rand; p. 100.)

Davis Rand

(Thomas Davis(4), Richard(3), Richard(2), John(1))

Son of Thomas Davis and Sophrona (Brown) Rand; b. 1798. He m. Nancy Willard.

There were five children according to the records, as follows:

Jenett, b. 13 May, 1828.

Helen, b. 28 May, 1830(?)

Korah, b. 30 Dec, 1833.

Udorah, b. 12 Jan, 1837; d. 1839.

Kirk, b. 11 Feb, 1840.

(Ref: Rand, Rand, p. 101;)

Josiah Rand

(Thomas Davis(4), Richard(3), Richard(2), John(1))

Son of Thomas Davis and Sophrona (Brown) Rand; b. 1803. He m. Oril Kelley. They had a son: Cornelius Crosby Kelley.

(Ref: Rand, Rand; p. 101.)

Richard Lincoln Rand
(Richard(4), Richard(3), Richard(2), John(1))

Son of Richard and Saviah (or Suviah) (Chase) Rand; b. 9 June, 1803. He m. 13 Feb, 1830, Susan Elmore.

There were four children according to the records, as follows:

Julia, b. at Townshend, Vt., 6 Feb, 1832; d. 1855.
Edmund E., b. 16 Oct, 1835.
Henry, b. 14 Aug, 1842.
Sarah, b. 2 Nov, 1845.

(Ref: Rand, Rand; p. 102.)

Abner Sawyer Rand
(Richard(4), Richard(3), Richard(2), John(1))

Son of Richard and Saviah (or Suviah) (Chase) Rand; b. 30 Sep, 1804; d. 1852. He m. 1 Feb, 1831, Cyrilla Hall. They had two children: Helen and Arthur.

(Ref: Rand, Rand; p. 102.)

Ezekiel Rand
(Richard(4), Richard(3), Richard(2), John(1))

Son of Richard and Saviah (or Suviah) (Chase) Rand; b. 22 Sep, 1806. He m. 25 Sep, 1833, Dorothy Worster.

There were six children according to the records, as follows:

Kirk Ezekiel, b. 10 Aug, 1834; d. 20 Aug, 1834.
Sophia Francis, b. 30 Oct, 1836.
Ezekiel Henry, b. 3 June, 1839; d. 20 March, 1840.
Gordon Grant, b. 15 Aug, 1841; d. 12 Apr, 1860.
Bernard E., b. 10 Sep, 1844; d. 10 July, 1846.
Brainard Spees. b. 30 Apr, 1846.

(Ref: Rand, Rand; p. 102.)

Stephen Chase Rand
(Richard(4), Richard(3), Richard(2), John(1))

Son of Richard and Saviah (or Suviah) (Chase) Rand; b. 2 Sep, 1813. He m. 31 Oct, 1840, Sally Relief Barber. She d. Sep, 1864.

There were five children according to the records, as follows:

Esther Mildred, b. at Troy, N.Y., 23 Sep, 1842; m. 1858, John R. Right.
Emma A., b. at Troy, N.Y., 26 July, 1846.
Alice Sophia, b. 27 March, 1852.
Frederick Stephen, b. 7 Dec, 1855.
Walter A., b. 18 May, 1859.

(Ref: Rand, Rand; p. 103.)

Luke Philetus Rand
(Denzel Davis(5), Luke Sawyer(4), Richard(3), Richard(2), John(1))

Son of Denzel Davis and Polly (Cook) Rand; b. 3 Feb, 1822. He m. 5 Sep, 1844, Olive Jenett Green.

There were three children according to the records, as follows:

Clinton Augustus, b. at Townshend, Vt., 30 Dec, 1845.
Amelia Elvira, b. 4 Dec, 1847; d. 1866.
Charles, b. at Troy, N.Y., 10 March, 1850.

(Ref: Rand, Rand; p. 131.)

Theodore Cyrus Rand
(Denzel Davis(5), Luke Sawyer(4), Richard(3), Richard(2), John(1))

Son of Denzel Davis and Polly (Cook) Rand; b. 25 March, 1826. He m. 3 March, 1851, Laura A. Stearns.

There were four children according to the records, as follows:

Frank S., b. 30 May, 1852.
Fred C., b. 29 May, 1854.

James D., b. at Windham, Vt., Aug, 1856; d. Aug, 1859.
William, b. at Windham, Vt., Nov, 1859.

(Ref: Rand, Rand; p. 131.)

William Ransom Rand
(Denzel Davis(5), Luke Sawyer(4), Richard(3), Richard
(2), John(1))

Son of Denzel Davis and Polly (Cook) Rand; b. 29 July,
1839. He m. 19 Sep, 1860, Lizzie Rutter.

(Ref: Rand, Rand; p. 132.)

Stanford Holbrook Rand
(Chester(5), Luke Sawyer(4), Richard(3), Richard(2),
John(1))

Son of Chester and Patty (Osgood) Rand; b. 18 Dec, 1825.
He m. 1 Feb, 1852, Mary H. Putnam. She was b. 7 Sep,
1833.

There were three children according to the records,
as follows:

Corah Isola, b. at Wendell, Mass., 30 Oct, 1853.
Julian Richard, b. 13 June, 1859.
Isadore Rozella, b. at Orange, Mass., 25 Apr, 1863.

(Ref: Rand, Rand; p. 132.)

RAND-3

Nathaniel Rand m. 52. Hannah Davis

Nathaniel Rand
(Joseph(1))

Son of Joseph and Sarah (Brigden) Rand; b. 15 Sep, 1709; bp. 18 Sep, 1709; d. 5 Sep, 1785. He m. (1) M-
hetabel Call, dau. of Caleb and Ann (Whaff) Call. She
was b. 3 Jan, 1713. He m. (2), 52. Hannah Davis, dau.
of 36. Randall and Elizabeth (Randall) Davis. She was
bp. 23 Apr, 1716 and d. 15 Aug, 1753. He m. (3), 8 Aug.
1754, Margaret Sheafe, dau. of Edward and Mary (Car-
ter) Sheafe. He m. (4) 8 June, 1757, Hannah Lewis,
widow of Josiah Burgess. She d. 10 May, 1763. He m.
(5), 9 Feb, 1764, Elizabeth Hoppin, dau. of William
and Abigail (Johnson) Hoppin, of Charlestown, Mass.
She was b. 31 Nov, 1739.

Nathaniel Rand was a leather dresser. He was married
five times, being one of only three such cases in
Charlestown, Mass.

There were 11 children according to the records, nine
being by the first marriage. There was one by the
second marriage, as follows:

Martha, bp. 10 June, 1750; m. John Green.

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 796; Rand, Rand; p. 32.)

WHITTEMORE

Joseph Whittemore m. 43, Mildred Davis

Thomas Whittemore

The common American ancestor of the Whittemore family was Thomas Whittemore, who came to this country between 1639 and 1645, probably in 1641-2. He came from Hitchin, county of Hertford, England. The name of his wife was Mary.

Savage in his Genealogies of the First Settlers of New England, says that Thomas, the common American ancestor, "is not found among the inhabitants of Charlestown in 1658, though he may have lived in some other part of Massachusetts at that day, as he did a few years before at Reading." He may have been in that part of Reading which was comprised, at the time, within the limits of Charlestown, but his will was executed in Charlestown.

(Ref: NEH&G Reg, Vol. 21, pp. 169-73; Whittemore, Whittemore; pp. 7, 37.)

Thomas Whittemore
(Thomas(1))

Son of Thomas and Mary Whittemore; d. at Malden, Mass., 25 May, 1661. The name of his first wife is not known. He m. (2) 14 Apr., 1623, Sarah Deardes. She was buried 17 Nov., 1628. He m. (3) Hannah _____, who was 50 years old in 1662. She m. at Chelmsford, Mass., 3 June, 1663, Benjamin Butterfield.

There were 13 children according to the records, of which the seventh was:

#John, "of Cambridge," bp. 11 Feb., 1638/9.

(Ref: Whittemore, Whittemore; p. 7.)

John Whittemore
(Thomas(2), Thomas(1))

John "of Cambridge," son of Thomas, was bp. at Hitchin, England, 11 Feb., 1638/9. There were 15 children.

(Whittemore, Whittemore; p. 35.)

John Whittemore
(John(3), Thomas(2), Thomas(1))

Son of John "of Cambridge; d. at Cambridge, Mass., 16 Apr, 1702. He m. (1) Elizabeth Annabel, 26 May, 1684. She d. 27 Oct, 1686. He m. (2) Sarah Hall; she later m. Joseph Frost.

There were 12 children according to the records, of which the third was Richard.

Richard Whittemore
(John(4), John(3), Thomas(2), Thomas(1))

Son of John and Sarah (Hall) Whittemore; b. 20 March, 1691/3. He m. 3 June, 1715, Mary Phipps, who was admitted to the church, widow, 25 Feb, 1727/8.

There were four children according to the records, of which the first was Joseph.

(Ref: Whittemore, Whittemore; p. 36.)

Joseph Whittemore
(Richard(5), John(4), John(3), Thomas(2), Thomas(1))

Son of Richard and Mary (Phipps) Whittemore; b. 9 March 1715/6; bp. 11 March, 1715/16. He m. 7 June, 1736, 43. Mildred Davis, dau. of 21. Zechariah and Mildred (Brigden) Davis, who m. (2) James Kettel, 1749. She had a twin sister who m. (1) Benjamin Phillips, 1719; (2) John Phillips, 1727. Mildred Davis was bp, 20(?) Dec, 1713.

There were three children according to the records, as follows:

Mildred, bp. 16 Apr, 1728; m. Nathaniel Frothingham.
Mary, bp. 5 Apr, 1741.
#Joseph, bp. 27 Feb, 1742/3.

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; pp. 129, 379; Whittemore, Whittemore, p. 36.)

Joseph Whittemore
(Joseph(6), Richard(5), John(4), John(3), Thomas(2), Thomas(1))

Son of Joseph and 42. Mildred(Davis) Whittemore; b. 27 Feb, 1742/3; d. 25 June, 1821; s.e 79.

Joseph Whittemore was "of Newburyport." He enlisted in the army in 1760 at the age of 17, and was a colonel in the Revolutionary War.

(Ref: Whittemore, Whittemore; p. 37.)

STOWELL

Avery Bacon Stowell m. 104. Sally Davis
Luther Stowell m. 105. Elzina Davis

Dea. Luther Stowell

Deacon Luther Stowell removed to Londonderry, Vt., about 1805, and the farm upon which he settled remained in the family until 1945. This farm was purchased from the Tory Capt. James Rogers, whose property was confiscated but later returned to him. He had 12 children and all of they who married were married by him, as were also some of his grand-children. At least a part of his original house still stands.

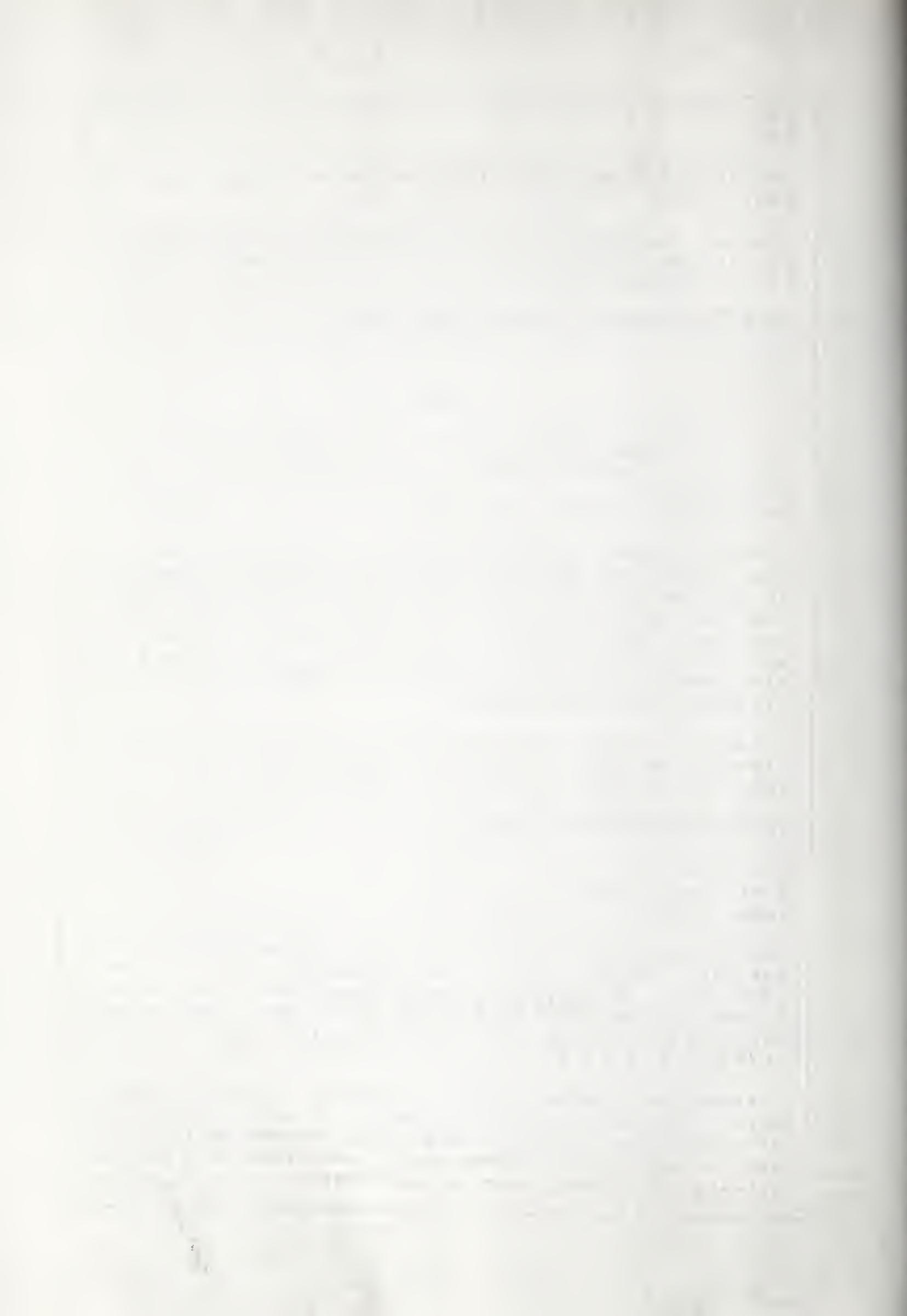
Two of his sons were Avery Bacon Stowell and Luther Stowell, who married the sisters 104. Sally Davis and 105. Elzina Davis, dau. of 81. Silas Davis.

(Ref: Londonderry, Cudworth.)

Avery Bacon Stowell
(Dea. Luther(1))

Son of Dea. Luther and Lydia (Clark) Stowell; b. at Windham, Vt., 12 Apr, 1811; d. at Londonderry, Vt., 17 Nov, 1896. He m. 16 Dec, 1833, 104. Sally Davis, dau. of 81. Silas and Susannah (Tenney) Davis. She was b. at Londonderry, Vt., 16 Jan, 1812, or 16 Dec, 1813, and d. 13 June, 1876.

Avery Bacon Stowell was a successful farmer of Londonderry. Mrs. Marion L. Grover wrote: "I know little about my grandmother Stowell, except that she was Sally Davis, dau. of Silas and Susannah Davis, who lived on a farm adjoining the Stowell farm in Londonderry."



There were six children according to the records, all b. in Londonderry, Vt., as follows:

Webber, b. 21 May, 1844; d. same day.
 Sara Saville, b. 13 June, 1845; m. William Loren Gibson; d. at Londonderry, Vt., 12 Apr, 1924.
 Mary Elma, b. 27 June, 1847; d. 29 June, 1876; unm.
 Willard Bacon, b. 18 Apr, 1849; d. 6 Feb, 1870.
 Warren C., b. 15 June, 1851; d. at Londonderry, Vt., 20 Jan, 1853.
 #Walter Davis, b. 6 Oct, 1855.

(Ref: Londonderry, Cudworth; p. 184.)

Luther Stowell
 (Dea. Luther(1))

Son of Dea. Luther and Lydia (Clark) Stowell; b. at Londonderry, Vt., 6 Apr, 1809; d. at Londonderry, 7 Nov, 1894. He m. 105. Elzina Davis, dau. of 81. Silas and Susannah (Tenney) Davis.

Luther Stowell moved from Londonderry, Vt., but the date of his doing so is not known; it must have been later than 1850, for in that year he is said to have been postmaster there. He lived in several different towns after this removal, and was a resident of Framingham, Mass., at the time of his death in Londonderry.

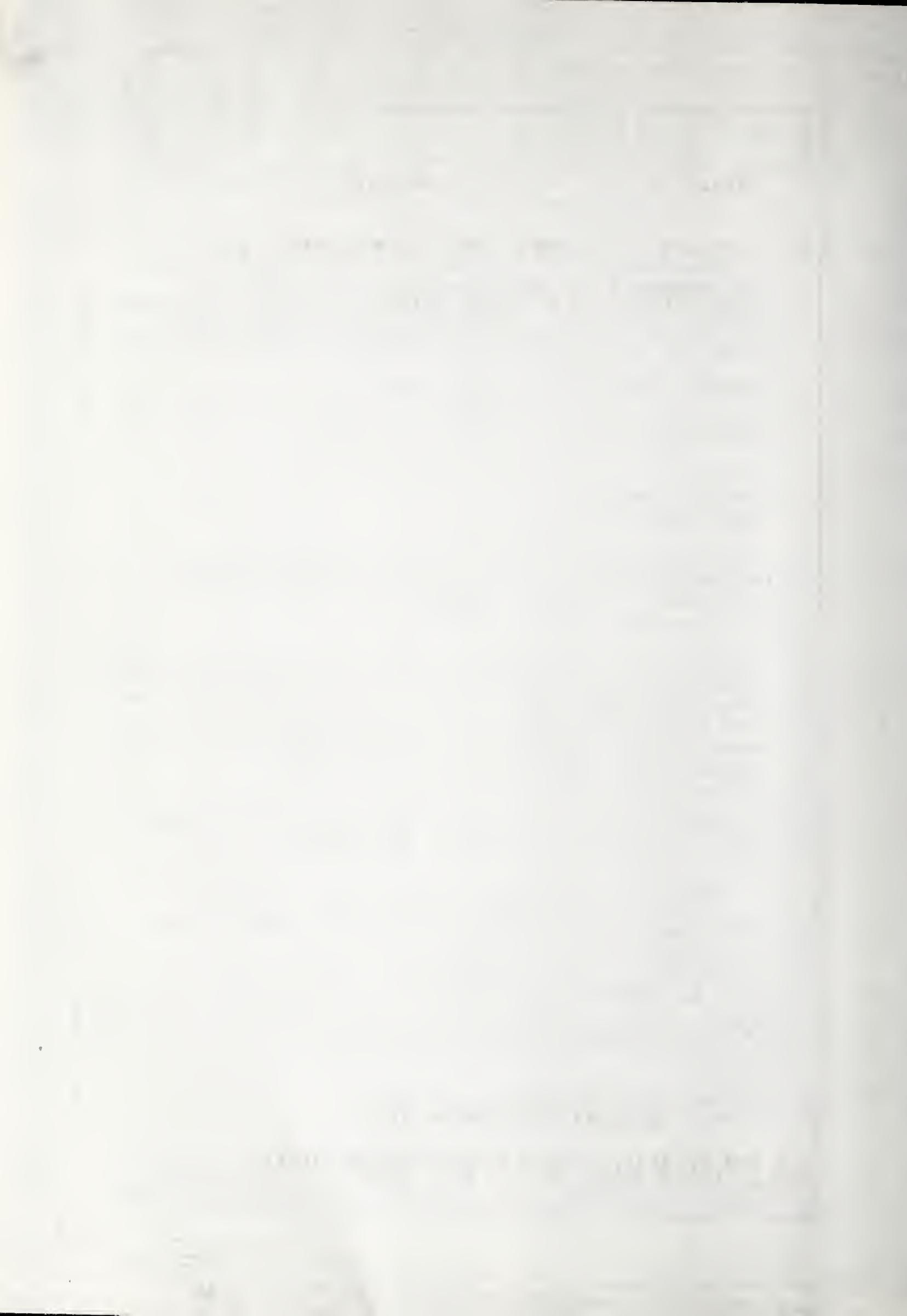
There were three children according to the records, all b. in Londonderry, Vt., as follows:

Addinette Elzina; m. Orin Curtis, "surviving husband of her deceased cousin Mary Adaline."
 #Luther Henderson; d. at Framingham, Mass., June, 1913.
 Marian S., d. at Framingham, Mass., 2 Aug, 1917; m. Harlan H. Whitney.

(Ref: Londonderry, Cudworth; p. 184.)

Walter Davis Stowell
 (Avery Bacon(2), Dea. Luther(1))

Son of Avery Bacon and 104. Sally (Davis) Stowell; b. at Londonderry, Vt., 6 Oct, 1855; d. at Framingham, Mass., Aug, 1925. He m. at Londonderry, 23 Jan, 1879,



Jennie Larabee, dau. of Joseph and Mary Ann (Barton) Larabee. She was b. at Westminster, Mass., 30 May, 1858, and d. at Ridgewood, N.J., 6 May, 1937.

Walter Davis Stowell lived for several years on a farm on "Stowell Hill," Londonderry, Vt., from which he removed about 1910 to Framingham, Mass., where he lived until about 1930, moving to Ridgewood, N.J., where he d.

There were two children according to the records, as follows:

A dau., d. at birth.

Lillian Mary, b. 35 May, 1894; m. Clarence P. Baxter.

(Ref: Londonderry, Cudworth; p. 185.)

DUDLEY = 1

Stephen Dudley m. 111. Lydia Davis

Stephen Dudley
(Peter(1))

Son of Peter and Lucy (Barnard) Dudley; b. at Peru, Vt., 1 June, 1805. He m. at Londonderry, Vt., 16 Jan, 1834, 111. Lydia Davis, dau. of 82. Solomon and Hannah (Wright) Davis. She was b. at Londonderry, Vt., 8(11) March, 1811 and d. at Andover, Vt., 18 May, 1873.

There were 10 children according to the records, as follows:

Benjamin Barnard, b. 1835; d. 1836.

A dau. (twin), b. 1835; d. 1835.

Myron Samuel, b. 1837.

George Byron, b. 1839; d. 1863.

Lucy Barnard, b. 1841; d. 1865.

Harlan Elmer, b. 1843.

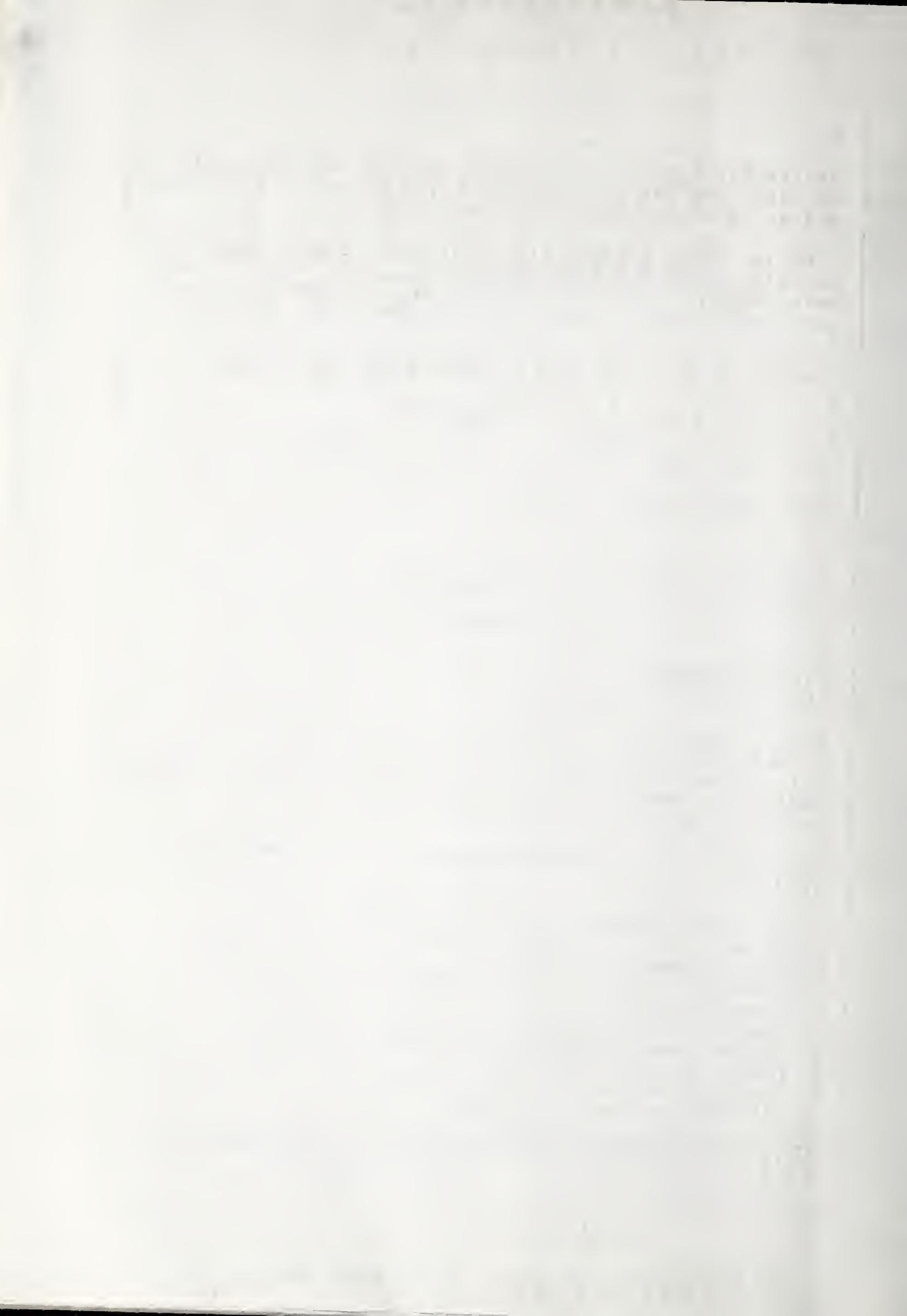
Helen Estelle (a twin), b. 1843.

#Homer Alford, b. 26 Sep, 1845.

Lydia Caroline, b. 1849; d. 1923.

Stephen Guilford, b. 1854; d. 1866.

(Ref: Mrs. W.C. Staples, 145 Summer St., Springfield, Vt.)



Homer Alford Dudley
(Stephen(2), Peter(1))

Son of Stephen and ill. Lydia (Davis) Dudley; b. 26 Sep, 1845. He m. Mary Caroline Eames.

They lived in South Londonderry, Vt. "I believe they were spending the winter with their dau. in Springfield, Vt., when they d. within a short time of each other."

There were two children according to the records, as follows:

Nina Caroline, b. at Londonderry, Vt., 25 Sep, 1875;
m. William Culbertson Staples.
#George Alford; m. Bernice J. Field.

(Ref: Mrs. W.C. Staples, 86 Wall St., Springfield, Vt.)

George Alfred Dudley
(Homer Alford(3), Stephen(2), Peter(1))

Son of Homer Alford and Mary Caroline (Eames) Dudley.
He m. Bernice Julia Field.

Children:

Joyce Millia, b. 31 March, 1907.
Rosemary, b. 24 Sep, 1914.

(Ref: Mrs. W.C. Staples, 86 Wall St., Springfield, Vt.)

DUDLEY - 2

Peter Dudley m. 109. Delia Davis

Peter Dudley

Peter Dudley m. 109. Delia Davis, dau. of 82. Solomon and Hannah (Wright) Davis. She was b. 7 July, 1805 and d. 1836.

TURNER

John Turner m. 60. Hannah Davis

John Turner
(John(1))

Son of John and Sarah (Tufts) Turner; d. after 1789.
He m. 3 Sep, 1754, 60. Hannah Davis, dau. of 38. Barnabas and Elizabeth (Dowse) Davis. She was bp. 30 March, 1735 and d. after 1789.

John Turner was a housewright. There is a deed of record to Barnabas Davis on Bow St., Charlestown, Mass., 1761. He testified, 1816, that he "knew Barber's wharf 70 years." Hannah (Davis) Turner owned covenant 13 Jan, 1755.

There were 13 children according to the records, as follows:

John bp. 13 Jan, 1755; d. "John, Jr.," 25 Apr, 1789.
Sarah, bp. 23 Nov, 1755.
Hannah, bp 30 Jan, 1757.
William, bp 24 Sep, 1758; news of death at sea 25 July, 1795.
Barnabas, bp 3 Sep, 1760.
Barnabas, bp. 21 Feb, 1762; m. at Chelsea, Mass., 6 Jan, 1790, Rebecca Pratt.
Hannah, bp. 30 Oct, 1763.
Mary, bp. 19 Oct, 1766.
#James Davis, bp 13 Nov, 1768.
Hannah, bp. 31 June, 1772; m. George Runey.
#Nathaniel, bp. 16 Jan, 1774.
Rebecca, b. about 1776.

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 973; Dowse, Dowse; p. 148.)

James Davis Turner
(John(2), John(1))

Son of John and 60. Hannah (Davis) Turner. He m.(1) 18 Aug, 1791, Nancy Gould; he m.(2), Mary _____.

James Davis Turner was a carpenter.

There were six children according to the records, as follows:

Nancy, m. Bemis.
 Mary, m. Pertz.
 Barnabas.
 Nathaniel.
 Thomas.
 William.

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 974.)

Nathaniel Turner
 (John(2), John(1))

Son of John and G.O. Hannah (Davis) Turner; d. about 1819. He m. (1) at Boston, Mass., 9 Apr, 1799, Sally Cole. He m. (2) Juliana Dowling, of Brookline, Mass., dau. of Charles and Rhoda Cole. Juliana was published 13 Oct, 1817.

There were five children according to the records, as follows:

Sally.
 Rhoda Cole; "Over 14; R. Coombs was her guardian, 1819."
 Hannah D.
 Charles C.
 Samuel Elliot Cole. "Friend Nathaniel Turner was his guardian, 1819."

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 974.)

GREEN

John Green m. 15. Patience Davis

John Green
 (Jacob(1))

Son of Jacob Green and Elizabeth Long or Mary Whipple. He m., 1693, 15. Patience Davis, dau. of 3. Samuel and Mary (Waters) Davis. She was b. 10 Apr, 1674; bp. 21 Apr, 1695.

John Green was a sawyer. Records show deed of father for a house in 1699. Patience (Davis) Green was "posted" in 1721, "designated as a person using strong drink to excess." She owned covenant in Charlestown.

There were five children according to the records, as follows:

Mary, d. 8 Oct, 1694.
John, b. 15 Sep, 1695.
Mary, b. 25 Dec, 1697; bp. adult, 23 Oct, 1715; m. 1715, James Hutton.
Stephen, b. 8 June, 1701.
Samuel, b. 21 June, 1703.

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 437.)

LEWIS

Isaac Lewis m. 10. Mary Davis

John Lewis

John Lewis m. (1) Marguerite _____. She d. 10 Apr, 1649.
He m. (2) Mary Brown. She d. 16 Sep, 1657.

There were six children by each marriage. The 11th child was:

#Isaac, d. 16 Apr, 1691.

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 617.)

Isaac Lewis
(John(1))

Son of John and Mary (Brown) Lewis; d. 16 Apr, 1691; g.s. at Malden, Mass. He m. 25 March, 1680, 10. Mary Davis, dau. of 3. Samuel and Mary (Waters) Davis. She was b. 31 Jan, 1662/3. His widow later m. Thomas Pratt.

There were six children according to the records as follows:

Mary, b. at Malden, Mass., 1 March, 1680; m. William Sargent, Jr.
Isaac.
Joseph.
John.
Elizabeth.

Abraham, b. 9 June, 1691, "of Chelsea, Mass.," m.
Sarah _____.

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; pp. 278, 617.)

KIDDER

Samuel Kidder m. 25. Elizabeth Davis

Samuel Kidder
(Stephen(1))

Son of Stephen and Mary (Johnson) Kidder; admitted to Church 16 Oct, 1715; d. prior to 1718. He m. 25. Elizabeth Davis, dau. of 6. Nathaniel Davis. She was b. 1 Jan, 1697/8 and d. 3 Feb, 1726, ae 28 yr, 1 mo; g.s., or 9 Feb, 1725/6, per record.

Samuel Kidder was a mariner. His widow, who was admitted to the Church 11 Nov, 1722, had a child in 1721, which d. at her father's house; she was assisted by the town in 1724; removed to her sister Mary's house in 1725. Coffin was provided by the town in 1725/6.

There was one child according to the records, as follows:

Elizabeth, b. 14 Sep, 1719; d. 16 Sep, 1719.

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; pp. 278, 585.)

LONGFELLOW

Longfellow m. 17. Mary Davis

Longfellow

Longfellow m. 17. Mary Davis, dau. of 6. Nathaniel and Mary (Converse) Davis. She was b. 26 March, 1680; bp. 9 May, 1680. Longfellow's widow later m. William Sheafe, (No further record).

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 279.)

SHEAFE

William Sheafe m. 17. Mary Davis (Longfellow)

William Sheafe
(William(1))

Son of William Sheafe; d. 14 Oct, 1718; ae 35 (g.s.).
He m. 13 Jan, 1704/5, 17. Mary Davis (Longfellow) dau.
of 6. Nathaniel and Mary (Converse) Davis. She was b.
26 March; bp. 9 May, 1680; d. 11(12) Jan, 1720/1, "in
41st year" (g.s.).

History of Charlestown, Mass., records William Sheafe
as a "waterman" and a "ferryman."

There were seven children according to the records,
as follows:

#William, b. 13 Jan, 1705/6.
Nathaniel, b. 4 Feb (7 March), 1707/8.
Mary, b. 13 May, 1710; bp. 14 May, 1710; m. Gershom
Griffiths.
Benjamin, b. 3 Feb, 1711/12; bp. 10 Feb, 1711/12;
"lame and incurable, 1721; taxed, 1733."
James, b. 5 Jan, 1713/14; bp. 10 Jan, 1713/14.
Anne, b. 9 Feb, 1715/16; bp. 12 Feb, 1715/16; d. 17
Nov, 1720, ae 4 yr, 9 mo (g.s.).
Ebenezer, bp. 3 Feb, 1718; d. 31 Aug, 1718. ae 7 mo,
5 d (g.s. with father).

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 856.)

William Sheafe
(William(2), William (1))

Son of William and 17. Mary (Davis) (Longfellow) Sheafe;
b. 13 Jan, 1705/6; bp. 13 Jan, 1771.

The History of Charlestown, Mass., shows him "at col-
lege, 1722 (per admin. acct); grad. Harvard, 1723."

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 856.)

RIDLAND

William Ridland m. 5. Patience Davis

William Ridland

William Ridland d. 3 Dec, 1694; He m. 5. Patience Davis, dau. of 3. Barnabas and Patience Davis. She was ae 31 in 1661.

William Ridland gave testimony concerning Frothingham's land in 1682, then ae about 47. He made deed of Groton land in 1694; his wife patience joined in deed with Barnabas Davis in 1685, and he joined in Groton deed in 1694. He d. of fever ae "upwards of 60."

There were six children according to the records, as follows:

- William, b. 31 Dec, 1663.
- Nathaniel, b. 6 Dec, 1665.
- Patience, b. 18 Jan, 1667.
- Joanna, b. 15 Aug, 1670.
- Mary, b. 9 Jan, 1672.
- Barnabas, b. 26 June, 1679.

(Ref: Savage; Vol. 11; Charlestown, Wyman, pp. 278, 816.)

FOSTER

Abraham Foster m. 55. Elizabeth Davis

Abraham Foster
(Abraham(1))

Son of Abraham and Abigail Foster "of Ipswich; b. at Ipswich, Mass., 5 Aug, 1716; d. prior to 1743. He m. 55. Elizabeth Davis, dau. of 38. Barnabas Davis. She was b. 3 Apr, 1720 and d. 19 Jan 1795, ae 75.

Abraham Foster was probably the cabinetmaker of Boston, in Ward 3, 1780; "next James Foster, Jr., scribe; in 1784 next James and Joseph Foster, goldsmiths." Charlestan records Abraham Foster of Boston and wife, with Barnabas Davis et al, selling to R. Miller in 1744. Elizabeth (Davis) Foster was in the census, 1789; d. of palsey, ae 75.

There were two children according to the records, as follows:

Elizabeth, b.p. 18 Nov, 1744; m. 27 May, 1763, John Rogers (?).

Abraham, b.p. 3 Dec, 1744.

Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; Dowse, Dowse; p. 143.)

STEVENS

Joel Parkhurst Stevens m. 113. Betsey Davis

Joel Parkhurst Stevens

b. at Londonderry, Vt., 23 Nov, 1806; d. at Windham, Vt., 8 March, 1884. He m. at Granville, N.Y., 7 Feb, 1837, 113. Betsey Davis, dau. of 82. Solomon and Hannah (Wright) Davis. She was b. at Londonderry, Vt., 15 July, 1813, and d. at Middleboro, Mass., 3 Aug, 1890.

Joel Parkhurst Stevens was a farmer. He had a common school education and in politics was a Republican.

There were four children according to the records, all b. in Londonderry, Vt., as follows:

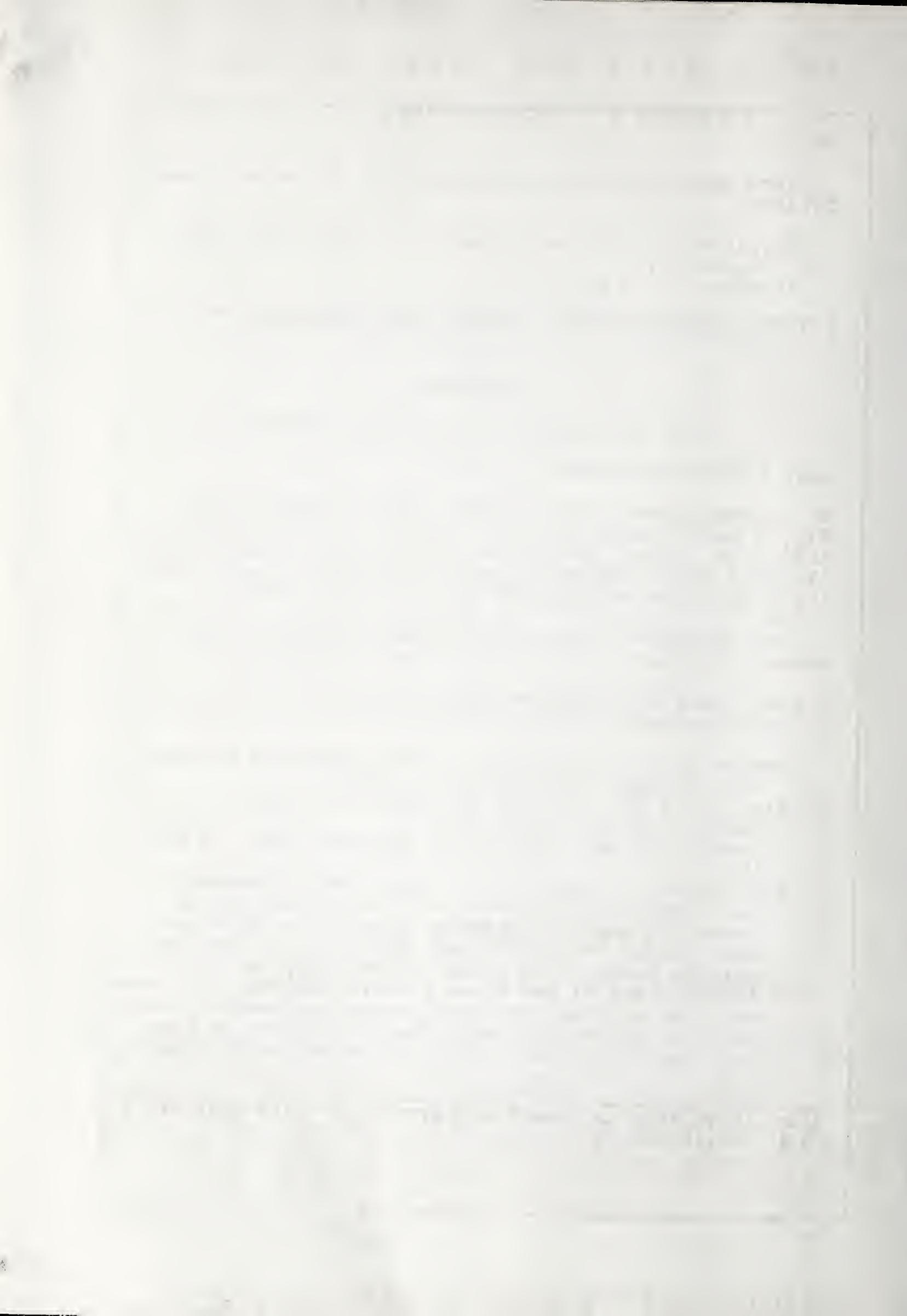
Warren, b. 15 May, 1839; d. at Rappahannock Station, Va., 23 Aug, 1862; killed in action.

Eva, b. 15 Dec, 1842; d. at Weare, N.H., 29 Apr, 1895; m. David J. Moulton.

Orison, b. 3 Dec, 1844; d. at Portland, Me., 14 Dec, 1869.

Aurilla, b. 12 Aug, 1848; m. Aaron Smith Caywood. She lived in Londonderry, Vt., until she was 10 years old when she moved with her parents to Lowell, Mass., where she was educated. In 1866, her parents moved to Farmwell, London Co., Va., now Ashburn. She stayed there for two and one-half years and then returned to Lowell where she remained until just before her marriage. They then moved to Herndon, Va., until 1872, when they moved to Washington, D.C.

(Ref: Mrs. Aurilla (Stevens) Caywood, 915 New York Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C.)



PRATT

Thomas Pratt m. 10. Mary (Davis) Lewis

Thomas Pratt

Sometimes after 1691, Thomas Pratt m. 10. Mary (Davis) Lewis, dau. of 3. Samuel, and Mary (Waters) Davis. He resided at Rumney-Marsh (Chelsea), Mass. Charlestown records show a "will devised to John, Nathaniel and Samuel (Davis) and dau. Elizabeth Churchm Mary Pratt," etc.

There were two children according to the records, as follows:

Sarah, m. Samuel Blanchard
Elizabeth, m. 1714, Samuel Sargent.

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; pp. 378, 772.)

COBB

Josiah Cobb m. 83. Lois Davis

Josiah Cobb

M. 4 June, 1800, 83. Lois Davis, dau. of 72. Richard and Lois (Whitney) Davis. She was b. at Rindge, N.H., 8 Nov, 1775 and d. 15 Aug, 1857.

In various records, name of Lois Whitney is spelled "Lois" and "Louis;" date of b. is also shown as March, 1775.

(Ref: Jaffrey, Cutter; p. 301; Lincoln, Mass., VR; pp. 30, 130, 146.)

HOGINS

John Hogins m. 56. Mary Davis

John Hogins.

John Hogins (or Hogans) m. 56. Mary Davis, dau. of 39. Barnabas and Elizabeth (Dowee) Davis. She was b. 1 July, 1783; bp. 7 July, 1783.

John Hogins was a mariner. After his death, his widow m. 1766, Joseph Watts.

(Ref: Charleston, Wyman; pp. 280, 317; Dowse, Dowse; p. 144.)

SWIFT

James Swift m. 74. Winifred Davis

James Swift.
(James(1))

Son of James Swift; m. 29 Nov, 1764, 74. Winifred Davis, dau. of 54. Barnabas and Winifred (Brigden) Davis. She was b. 17 June, 1743; bp. 19 June, 1743.

James Swift was "of Boston." (No further record.)

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 281.)

LEARNED

Wm. Learned m. 117. Lois Whitney Davis

Wm. Learned

Wm. Learned (Learnard) d. at Gardner, Mass. He m. 1844 117. Lois Whitney Davis, dau. of 88. James and Lois (Whitney) Davis. She was b. at Jaffrey, N.H., 28(39) Oct, 1815. They lived in Gardner, Mass. (No further record.)

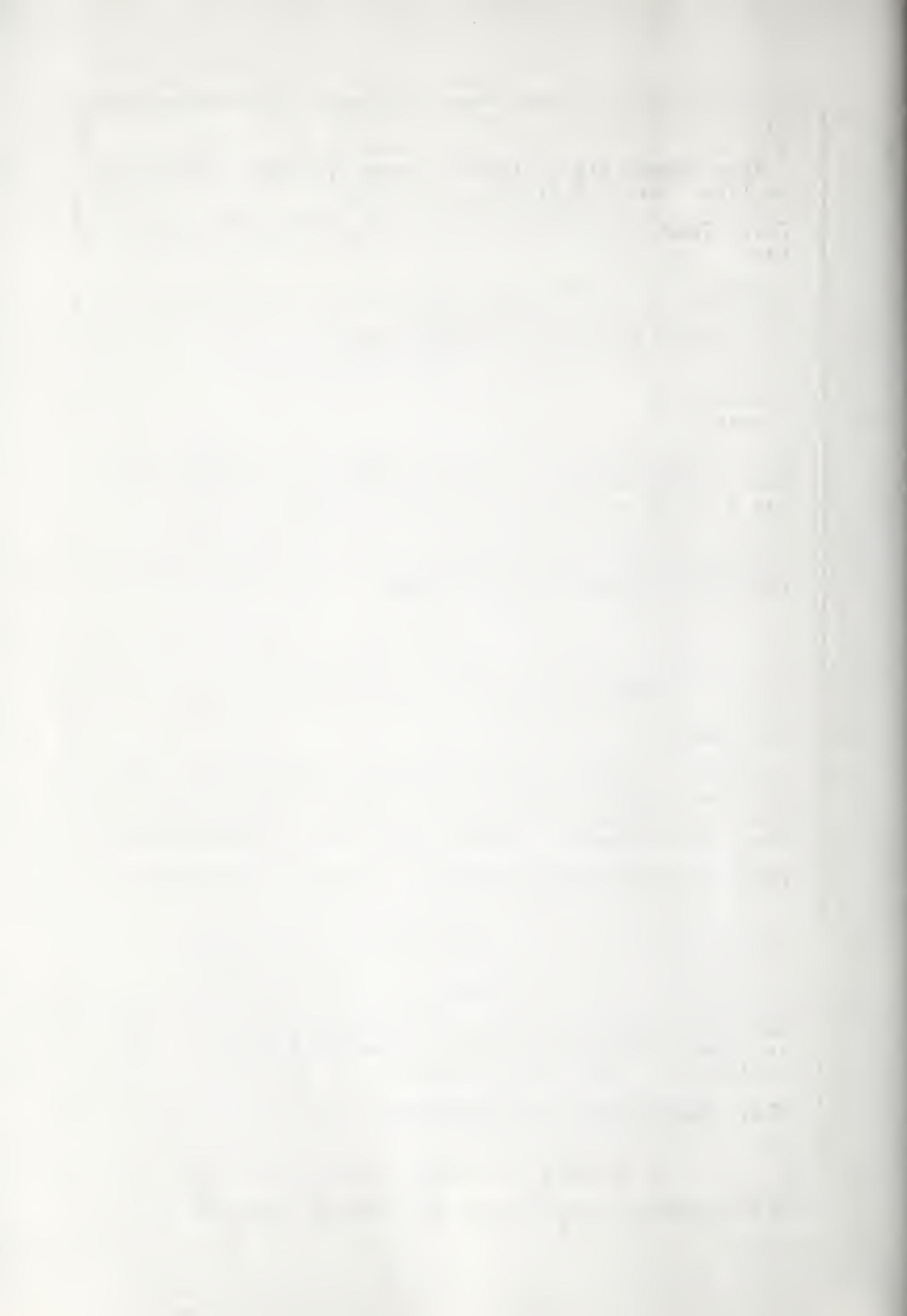
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STERLING

Lord Sterling m. 107. Phebe M. Davis

Lord Sterling m. 107. Phebe M. Davis, dau. of 84. Silas and Phebe (Westcott) (Shattuck) Davis. She was b. in Londonderry, Vt., 20 Aug, 1823 and d. in Weymouth, Mass.

(Ref: Harriett Davis, Londonderry, Vt.)



DAVIS

Stephen Davis m. 96. Lydia Davis

Stephen Davis

On 22 Feb, 1808, Stephen Davis m. 96. Lydia Davis, dau. of 73. William and Martha (Whitney) Davis. She was b. 2 June, 1781.

Stephen Davis was "of Enosburg, Vt." (no further record.)

(Ref: Rindge, Stearns; p. 503.)

WATTS

Joseph Watts m. 56. Mary (Davis) Hogins

Joseph Watts

Joseph Watts m. 56. Mary (Davis) Hogins, dau. of 38. Barnabas and Elizabeth (Dowse) Davis. (No further record.)

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; pp. 280, 307; Dowse, Dowse, p. 144.)

CODY

Joseph Cody m. 12 Sarah Davis

Joseph Cody

Capt. Joseph Cody was "of Watertown, Mass., 1666, and d. 1743. He m. 1689, 12. Sarah Davis, dau. of 3. Samuel and Mary (Waters) Davis. She was b. 12 Aug, 1667. History of Charleston shows Sarah Davis m. _____ "Cade." (No further record.)

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 278; Compend of Amer. Gen. Vol. 5, 9. 442.)

CHURCH

Church m. 9. Elizabeth Davis

Church m. 9. Elizabeth Davis, dau. of 3. Samuel and Mary (Waters) Davis. She was b. at Charlestown, Mass. Mass., 11 Nov., 1658.

Charlestown records show "Will devised to John, Nathaniel and Samuel; dau. Elizabeth Church," etc. (No further record.)

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 278.)

WHITNEY

Alexander Shumway Whitney m. 103. Mehitable Davis
Alexander Shumway Whitney

Alexander Shumway Whitney m. 103. Mehitable Davis, dau. of 81. Silas and Susannah (Tenney) Davis. She was b. 25 Sep., 1609.

Alexander Shumway Whitney was "of Londonderry, Vt." There were no children.

(Ref: Tenney, Tenney; p. 209.)

SCAMON

Thomas Scamon m. 19. Sarah Davis
Thomas Scamon

In 1716, Thomas Scamon m. 19. Sarah Davis, dau. of 6. Nathaniel and Mary (Converse) Davis. She was b. 17 June, 1683; bpt. 23 July, 1683. (No further record.)

(Ref: Charlestown, Wyman; p. 279.)

PALMER

Thomas Palmer m. 25. Sarah Davis

Thomas Palmer

On 16 Oct, 1746, Thomas Palmer m. 25. Sarah Davis, dau
of ? Hopewell and Sarah (Boynton) Davis. She was b.
30 Oct, 1680. They lived in Roslyn, Mea (No further
details.)

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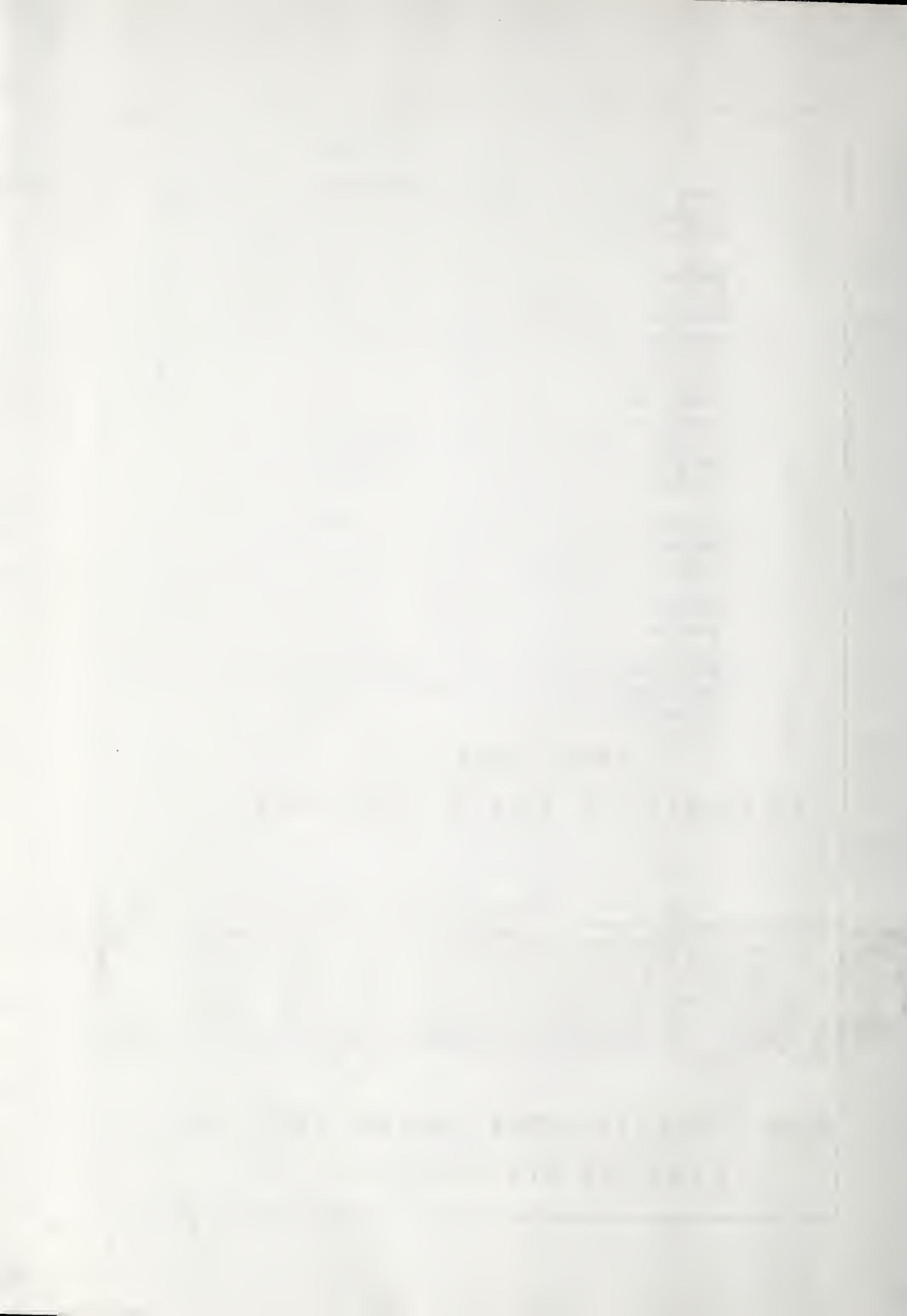
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